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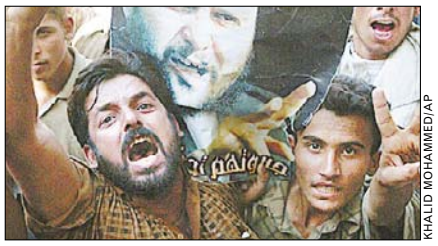

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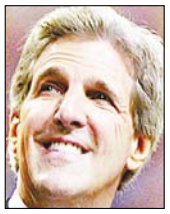
Kerry to Bush: 'Bring It On'

Democrat assails GOP claim he exaggerated his war record

BOSTON | Democratic presidential candidate John Kerry fought back Thursday against campaign allegations that he exaggerated his combat record in Vietnam, accusing President Bush of using a Republican front group "to do his dirty work" and challenging Bush to debate their wartime service records.

"Well, if he wants to have a debate about our service in Vietnam, here is my answer: Bring it on," said Kerry, following strong urging from party leaders for him to respond to two-week-old Republican assertions, which he termed "lies about my record."

Kerry won three Purple Hearts, a Bronze Star and Silver Star for Vietnam War combat. Bush served stateside in the Texas Air National Guard. Both men say the other served honorably, but their supporters are pouring tens of thousands of dollars into television ads and other tactics to insist otherwise.

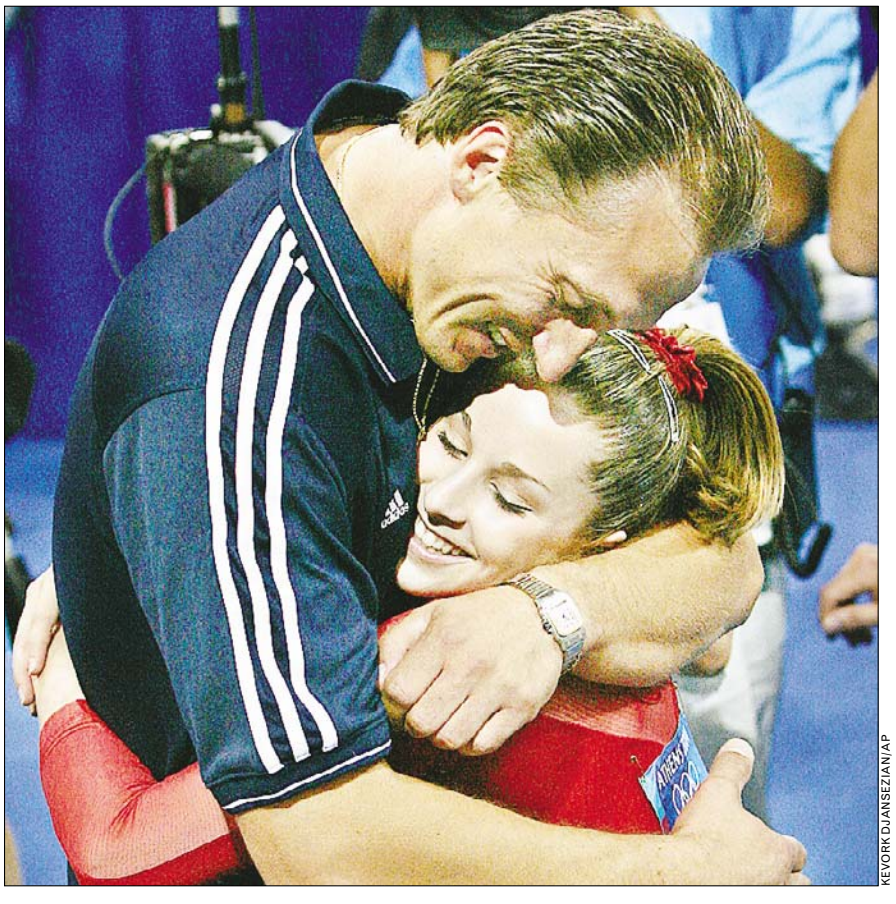


Kerry

Bush campaign spokesman Steve Schmidt said the charge that Bush was in league with the group criticizing Kerry's war record "is absolutely and completely false. The Bush campaign has never and will never question John Kerry's service in Vietnam." Yet the White House refused to condemn the ad questioning Kerry's record.

RON FOURNIER (AP)

OLYMPIC GYMNASTICS | AMERICA'S NEW SWEETHEART



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GOLDEN MOMENT: Carly Patterson, 16, is embraced by her coach Evgeny Marchenko after winning the women's all-around gymnastics competition Thursday. Sportsweekend: Patterson outshines Svetlana Khorkina | Page 16

Initial Surge As Google Goes Public

SAN JOSE, CALIF. | In the most highly anticipated Wall Street debut since the heady days of the dot-com boom, shares of Google surged nearly 20 percent on their first day of public trading Thursday as the quirky Internet company completed its much-hyped initial stock offering.

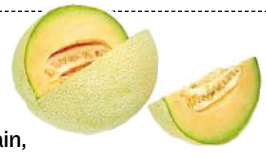
Despite the first-day jump, the debut generated much less money than the company envisioned after it launched an unorthodox auction designed to open the stock beyond large investors who typically get first crack at new stock issues.

Google shares finished the day at $100.34, up 18 percent, and the stock offering raised $1.67 billion. The company originally hoped to open at between $108 and $135, generating as much as $3.6 billion and making the company worth up to $36 billion.

Nonetheless, the IPO brought instant riches to some of the company's employees. About 1,000 of Google's 2,300 workers are now millionaires on paper, according to Salary.com.

"There are going to be some pretty good parties in the Bay area this evening," said Bill Coleman, Salary.com's senior vice president of compensation. MATTHEW FORDAHL (AP)

VERY BIG THINGS | **Colossal Cantaloupe** Scott Robb of Anchorage has done something impossible in any other Alaska summer: He grew a record-breaking 64.8-pound cantaloupe. The fruit usually craves heat and founders in rain,



but this year yielded a season marked by hotter and dryer weather than usual. Robb said he'll wait and make sure the Guinness record people certify the cantaloupe. Then, he said, "I will move on to watermelons." (AP) **EyeOpeners** | Page 2

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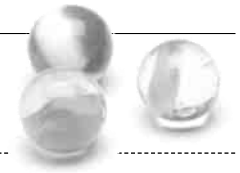
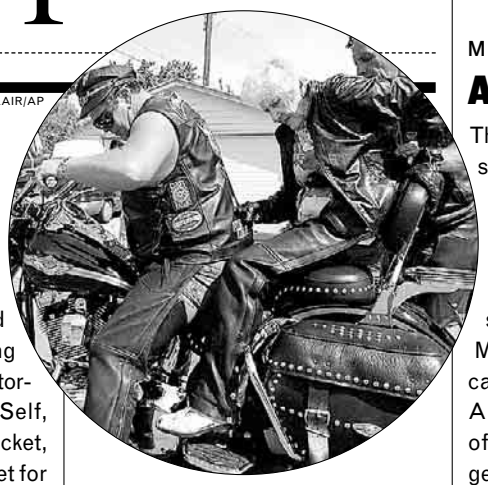


ALL THE MARBLES: If you've lost your marbles, Leroy Mercer may have found them. The Greeley, Colo., senior citizen has amassed a collection numbering about 130,000. While Mercer played marbles as a kid, he didn't start his collection until four years ago. (AP)



THE MISSOULIAN, LOUIS MONTCLAIR/AP

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Hog Wild

Helen Self of Missoula, Mont., didn't rock in a chair for her 95th birthday on Tuesday — she rolled down the street in style, straddling the back of a Harley Davidson motorcycle. Marsha Fowler helped Self, her stepmother, into a leather jacket, gloves, chaps and a black helmet for her birthday ride, helmed by husband Dwayne Fowler. Self declared the ride "wonderful." She knew the motorcycle ride was coming, but didn't know a reporter and photographer would be there to document it. "She's worried it's going to be in the paper that she's 95," Fowler told the Missoulian newspaper. "She told her boyfriend she's only 91." (AP)

MILITARY

An Army of Two

The owner of an adult video company says he'll dole out $500 in prizes to women serving in the nation's armed forces — where they can receive free breast augmentation and other cosmetic surgeries — who emerge from service with their bodies unaltered. Mark Kulis launched his campaign, called "Bullets Not Boobs," in Los Angeles on Wednesday. Military officials confirmed that their surgeons, on a very limited basis, practice reconstructive surgery skills on enlistees and their dependents. The military doesn't use cosmetic surgery as a recruiting tool, said Martha Rudd, an Army spokeswoman. (AP)

FOOD

Heart Attack On a Plate

DANIEL HULSHIZER/AP

It started early one morning in 1997 after a night of partying, when Darrell Butler was a Rutgers University sophomore with little money and a craving for chicken fingers, mozzarella sticks and french fries. Now the "Fat Darrell" has been crowned the best sandwich in the country by Maxim magazine. Maxim's September issue, which lists the top 10 sandwiches, hits news stands Tuesday. "It just has that element of drunken ingenuity that our readers like," Laura Gilbert, a Maxim senior editor, said of the creation. The sandwich sells at R.U. Hungry Grill & Pizza in New Brunswick, N.J., for $4.75. (AP)

CRIME

A Key Lesson

Two officers in Athens, Pa., learned a valuable lesson this week: Always take the keys when you leave your patrol car. Athens Township police officers pulled over Jeremy Friedlander, 21, on Monday night. When Friedlander told the officers he had a rifle between his front seats, they sat him in the rear of their cruiser while they searched his Jeep. Friedlander then allegedly jumped into the driver's seat, started the cruiser and pulled away. Friedlander eventually was stopped and charged with aggravated assault and resisting arrest. (AP)

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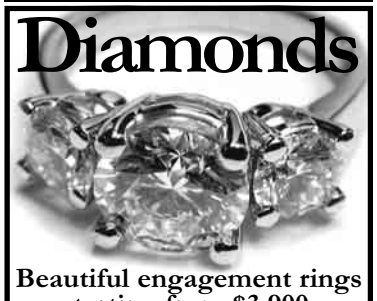

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IVY LEADS: For the second straight year, Harvard and Princeton will share the top spot in the U.S. News & World Report college rankings. The University of California-Berkeley, at No. 21, was the top-rated public university. (AP)

Nation

GREGORY BULL/AP

ASSESSMENT: Marcella Reams, left, walks through the remains of her mobile home with Bill Kirby, an insurance adjuster, in Punta Gorda, Fla., on Thursday. Claims adjusters have fanned out in the area, surveying the damage from Hurricane Charley.

Fla. Moves to Recover From Charley

Insurance industry prepped to process damage claims quickly

PUNTA GORDA, FLA. | It took years for many insurance claims to be paid following Hurricane Andrew in 1992. This time, technology is helping speed along the claims process for residents hardest hit by Hurricane Charley.

"I really think the industry can handle this without a lot of problems," Florida Chief Financial Officer Tom Gallagher said during a tour Thursday of Charlotte County.

Charley killed 23 people in Florida and state officials said more than 335,000 customers were without power Thursday.

The storm has caused an estimated $7.4 billion in damage to homes, businesses and personal possessions, more than any other hurricane in Florida since Andrew.

Still, most owners of property damaged by Charley will have to pay more out of their pockets than Andrew's victims did. Instead of set dollar deductibles, which were the standard before Andrew, policies now have deductibles based on a percentage of the insured property, which generally require the insured to pay a larger portion of the damage.

Nevertheless, technology is playing to homeowners' advantage, speeding up the pace in which insurance companies can begin addressing claims. That translates into residents getting insurance checks much faster. (AP)

Iraq Abuse Probe To Fault Leaders

Report to blame lax supervision at Abu Ghraib, officials say

WASHINGTON | A U.S. Army investigation into the abuse of inmates at Iraq's Abu Ghraib prison will blame at least two dozen people and conclude that while no senior commanders ordered the abusive acts, they should be faulted for inadequate supervision, two defense officials said Thursday.

The officials said the report is expected to be provided to Congress next week. They discussed the matter only on condition of anonymity because it is still under internal review.

In addition to the military intelligence personnel who are a key focus of the investigation report, the Army found that military medical personnel became aware of abuse at Abu Ghraib while treating injured prisoners but failed to report it to their command superiors.

The treatment of Iraqi prisoners at Abu Ghraib, the notorious prison where inmates were tortured and killed during the regime of Saddam Hussein, grew into an international scandal after photographs surfaced last spring showing U.S. soldiers abusing and sexually humiliating prisoners.

Of the seven military police soldiers charged with the abuses, one has pleaded guilty; lawyers for the other six have argued that they had followed orders from military intelligence officers. ROBERT BURNS (AP)

Leadership failings: Army's report into prison abuse finds wide fault | **Today's Washington Post, A Section**

GOP Taps Miller for Keynote Address

WASHINGTON | Sen. Zell Miller of Georgia, a Democrat who long ago endorsed President Bush for re-election, will deliver the keynote address at the Republican National Convention in New York, party officials announced Thursday.

Miller

"In 1992, Senator Miller delivered the keynote address in the very same arena at the Democrats' convention," GOP chairman Ed Gillespie said. "We're honored he'll be taking the stage at the Garden this year for President Bush."

In accepting the GOP's offer to speak Sept. 1, the third day of the four-day convention, Miller, 72, called the president a "strong commander-in-chief who is guided by the right principles." (AP)

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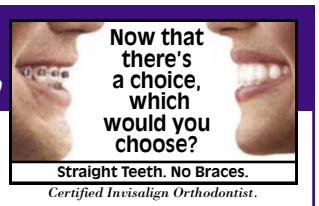

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Nation

52 **The number of consecutive hours** of TV two Michigan teens watched Wednesday night in a bid to set a Guinness World Record for viewing time. The previous record stood at 50 hours and seven minutes. (AP)

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DRILL TEAM: New York City police officers stand guard over mock demonstrators during a training drill on Thursday for the upcoming GOP convention in New York.

N.Y. Police Prep For Convention

Officers drill in use of special equipment for security at GOP event

NEW YORK | Forget the megaphones. Police will have a much more high-tech — and louder — option to make themselves heard over the din of Manhattan traffic and noisy protesters outside the Republican National Convention.

It's called the Long Range Acoustic Device, developed for the military and capable of blasting warnings, orders or anything else at an ear-splitting 150 decibels.

Authorities on Thursday unveiled a mini-arsenal of devices and counterterrorism equipment they're getting ready for the convention, which opens a week from Monday.

The sound machines are being tested at an airfield in a remote section of Brooklyn along with other devices such as hand-held radiation detectors — for a possible "dirty bomb" — and mechanical barriers strong enough to stop a moving vehicle in its tracks.

At the Brooklyn training site on Thursday, police practiced disarming a truck bomb at a checkpoint. Scores of officers also made mock arrests of police academy cadets who posed as protesters.

Chanting "no justice, no peace," the cadets surrounded a bus full of "delegates" before officers in riot gear raced in, slapped on plastic "flex cuffs" and led them away.

"I think you'll see we're prepared," said Police Commissioner Raymond Kelly. TOM HAYS (AP)

Teens: Sex, Drugs Tend to Go Together

WASHINGTON | It's not just a cliche, sex and drugs often do go together, says a survey of U.S. teenagers.

Teens who say at least half their friends are having sex are more likely to report having tried marijuana, alcohol and cigarettes, according to a survey released Thursday by the National Center on Addiction and Substance Abuse at Columbia University.

The survey asked teens between 12 and 17 about their use of illegal substances. Researchers then looked at other teen activities to see if those who used drugs had anything else in common.

In general, teens said that smoking, using illegal drugs and getting drunk are not cool. More than 80 percent said these activities make a teenager "seem like a loser." (AP)

In Brief

PONCA CITY, OKLA.

Nichols Declines to Appeal State Murder Convictions

Oklahoma City bombing conspirator Terry Nichols will not appeal his 161 state murder convictions for his role in the 1995 bombing of the Oklahoma City federal building, his attorney said Thursday. In a brief statement, attorney Brian Hermanson said Nichols did not want to prolong the pain for victims' families. (AP)

NORFOLK, VA.

Judge Extends Negotiating Time for Hamdi's Release

A federal judge Thursday delayed proceedings in the case of a U.S. citizen captured in Afghanistan in 2001 so attorneys can continue to negotiate his release from custody. Lawyers for Yaser Esam Hamdi and for the government said they have been negotiating his release from a Navy brig since the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that enemy combatants may not be indefinitely detained without legal rights. (AP)

MOSS BLUFF, TEXAS

Natural Gas Storage Facility Explodes; Dozens Evacuated

Natural gas exploded at an underground storage facility before dawn Thursday, forcing dozens of people from their homes, authorities said. No injuries were reported, but roads were closed near the site, about 40 miles northeast of Houston. (AP)

ZOOS | YEARLING

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ALL MINE: Mei Sheng, the San Diego Zoo's giant panda cub, holds on to an ice sculpted number one during a party for the cub's first birthday Thursday.

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World

8 **The number of female ministers** in the Spanish government — which has vowed to fight sex discrimination — who posed like fashion models for September's Spanish edition of Vogue. Several women's advocacy groups have complained. (AP)

Al-Sadr Tells Fighters to Leave Shrine

Both sides in Iraq saga engage in brinkmanship

NAJAF, IRAQ | Radical cleric Muqtada al-Sadr ordered his fighters Thursday to hand control of a revered Najaf shrine to top Shiite religious authorities, hours after U.S. forces bombed militant positions and Iraq's prime minister made a "final call" for the cleric's militia to surrender.

Blasts and gunbattles persisted throughout the day Thursday in the streets of Najaf. At night, at least 30 explosions shook the Old City as a U.S. plane hit militant targets east of the Imam Ali shrine. Earlier, militants bombarded a Najaf police station with mortar rounds, killing seven police.

U.S. forces also battled al-Sadr's supporters in a Baghdad slum, where militants said five fighters and five civilians were killed.

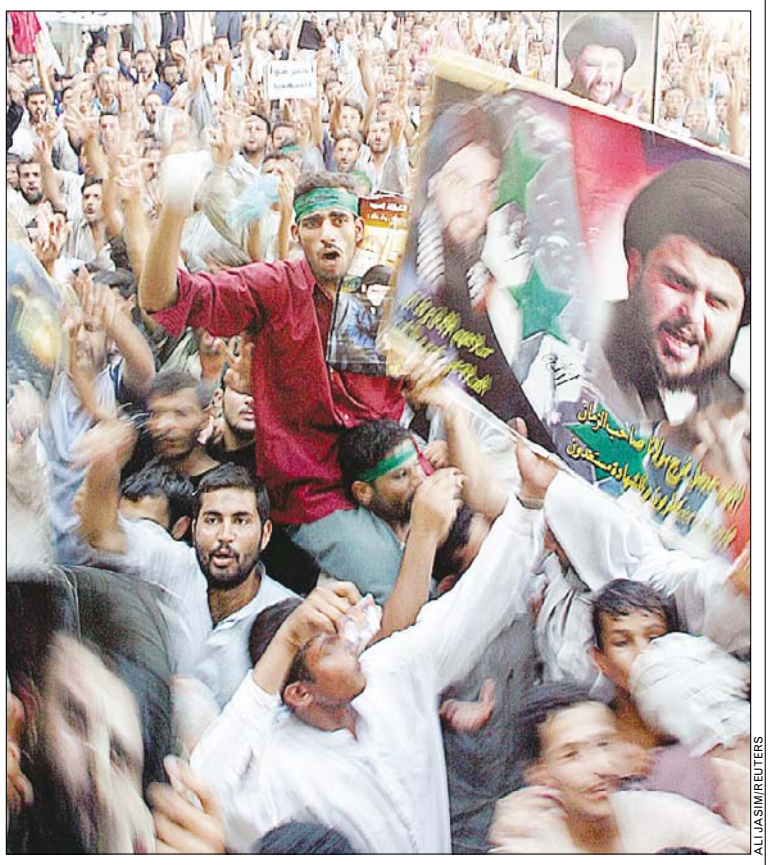
In a speech, interim Prime Minister Ayad Allawi warned al-Sadr to disarm his forces and withdraw from the shrine after his government threatened to send a massive Iraqi force to root them out.

Defying that ultimatum, al-Sadr sent a telephone text message vowing to seek "martyrdom or victory," and his jubilant followers inside the shrine danced and chanted. The fighters have been holed up in the shrine for two weeks.

Later in the day, a top al-Sadr aide said the cleric had ordered his militia to turn over control of the shrine to top Shiite clerics. But in a letter shown by the Arab television station Al-Arabiya, al-Sadr said he would not disband his Al Mahdi Army.

Thursday's violence came a day after al-Sadr had accepted an Iraqi delegation's peace plan for Najaf, demanding he disarm his militia, leave the shrine and turn to politics in exchange for amnesty. But he continued to attach conditions the government rejected, and fighting persisted. ABDUL HUSSEIN AL-OBEIDI (AP)

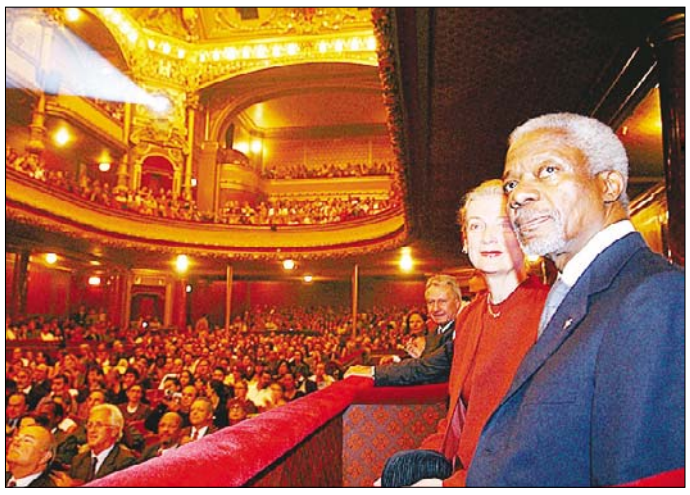
Waiting game: Sadr's refusal to disband militia could trigger an all-out assault | Today's Post: Section A



ALI JASIM/REUTERS

Al-Sadr supporters chant inside Najaf's Imam Ali shrine on Thursday. Interim Prime Minister Allawi issued a "final call" to al-Sadr to disarm his fighters.

SWITZERLAND | A DAY OF REMEMBRANCE



MEMORIAL: In Geneva's Victoria Hall on Thursday, U.N. Secretary General Kofi Annan, right, and his wife Nane listen to a musical tribute to the victims and survivors of last year's bombing of the U.N. compound in Baghdad. Thursday was the anniversary of the blast, which killed 22 people.

MONKEY DON'T: Dozens of healthy chimpanzees from a Dutch laboratory face a housing crisis after plans for their early retirement on the Spanish coast collapsed because of residents' fears they would carry infectious diseases. Pleas from the Spanish regional government, and a visit in July from chimpanzee expert Jane Goodall, have failed to sway town officials. (AP)

Georgia Ramps Up Fight In Bid to Tame S. Ossetia

TSKHINVALI, GEORGIA | Government forces battled separatists for strategic areas near South Ossetia's main city Thursday as Georgia sought the upper hand in some of the worst fighting in the breakaway region since a war 12 years ago.

South Ossetia's military chief said three civilians died in Georgian shelling of Tskhinvali, the regional capital, while Georgian officials said three Georgian troops were killed.

Following the heavy fighting — a major show of force that drew sharp criticism from Russia — Georgia began withdrawing its troops.

Fighting has raged nightly in South Ossetia despite a cease-fire agreement. Tensions in the tiny region, which broke away in 1992 after an 18-month war, have flared since the January election of President Mikhail Saakashvili, who vows to unite the fractured country. (AP)

Old Ties to Japan Sink S. Korean Politico

SEOUL | The head of South Korea's ruling party resigned Thursday amid suggestions he had covered up his father's past as a military policeman for Japanese occupiers.

Shin Ki-nam, chairman of the ruling Uri party, had previously said his father was only a teacher during the 1910-45 occupation. But this week, he was forced to admit his father worked for the Japanese forces, confirming a magazine report.

The implication that Shin may have lied to cover up his father's past has made him a political liability as the country reassesses the colonial period. President Roh Moo-hyun has called for government investigations into the pro-Japanese activities of collaborators.

Shin said he was stepping down so he wouldn't be an obstacle to the inquiries. BURT HERMAN (AP)

In Brief

POLAND

French Man Arrested After Taking Pictures of Gas Plant

A French citizen has been arrested in western Poland and was being investigated as a terror suspect after he was caught taking pictures of a natural gas distribution plant, officials said Thursday. The man, identified as Michael N., 23, was arrested Friday after being spotted by railway workers hiding in the grass taking pictures of Poland's largest natural gas distribution plant in Swarzedz, in western Poland, Kula said. (AP)

ITALY

Berlusconi Teases Media In Search of the 'Bald Truth'

Amid media speculation that he might have had a hair transplant, Italian Premier Silvio Berlusconi joked Thursday that having more hair is better. "With a bit more hair it's better!" Berlusconi was quoted as saying by the ANSA and Apcom news agencies. The comment by the image-conscious, balding premier fell short of confirming the rumors. But it kept the guessing game going, months after Berlusconi acknowledged that he had cosmetic surgery under his eyes. (AP)

ISRAEL

Despite Rebuke From Likud, Sharon to Push Gaza Pullout

Israeli Prime Minister Ariel Sharon insisted he will press on with efforts to pull out of Gaza despite a stinging rebuke from his Likud party. Likud's central committee voted late Wednesday to ban him from bringing the moderate Labor Party into his ruling coalition to cement a Cabinet majority in favor of his Gaza plan. "The prime minister is determined to continue with the disengagement plan," Sharon's office said in a statement Thursday. (AP)

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World

VERMIN: Complaints about rats in Tokyo have doubled from 10,241 in 1995 to nearly 20,000 in 2001. The Tokyo Fire Department said there have been 115 fires linked to rats since 1995, causing 22 injuries and $3.2 million in damage. Exasperated Tokyo officials held their first "anti-rat" symposium last month. (AP)

General Reassures Germany

U.S. commander tries to quell concerns over planned troop pullout

STUTTGART, GERMANY | The U.S. military will keep a significant troop presence in Germany and even expand some bases, a senior U.S. commander said Thursday, despite the planned withdrawal of two Cold War-era divisions over the next decade.

Air Force Gen. Charles F. Wald, deputy head of the U.S. military's European Command, also said major Air Force installations in Germany would be untouched by the troop realignment plans that President Bush announced Monday.

Bush said the realignment ultimately would bring up to 70,000 troops — plus about 100,000 family members and civilian workers — from around the world back to the United States. Major shifts would not begin before 2006.

Pentagon officials have said the two heavy divisions in Germany, the 1st Armored based in Wiesbaden and the Wuerzburg-based 1st Infantry, will leave.

"The real issue is not the percentage of troops leaving, so much as there will still be a significant capability left here, and it will be transformed to be more mobile, more light and more responsive," Wald said at European Command headquarters in Stuttgart.

Wald said a new, mobile brigade using lighter Stryker armored vehicles would be added, and major headquarters would also stay.

Each Stryker brigade is about a third the size of a division.

Ramstein air base in western Germany, already a major strategic airlift hub for the U.S. military's global operations, "will become even larger," he said. DAVID MCHUGH (AP)

IRAN | HEAD FIRST

VAHID SALEMI/AP

ROLL WITH IT: Wearing a headscarf under her helment, an Iranian competitor tries out for the national women's rollerblading team at the Azadi Sports Complex in Tehran on Thursday. Women in Iran can compete only in sports in which they can wear the obligatory headscarf. The sole woman on Iran's Olympic team, Nassim Hassanpour, 19, is competing in shooting events.

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Local

Report Details Dangers Facing Md. Coastal Bays

OCEAN CITY, MD. | Maryland's coastal bays are threatened by intense development pressures, according to the first comprehensive study of the chain of shallow bays that separates Ocean City and Assateague Island from the mainland.

Scientists hope the report will provide a road map to restoring water quality, protecting the fish that lure thousands of anglers to the area each year and perhaps even bringing back oysters and bay scallops that once thrived in the five bays.

The study provides scientists the same kind of data that has been available for years on the Chesapeake Bay, said Dave Goshorn of the state's Department of Natural Resources. (AP)

The Lotteries

Thursday, Aug. 19

DISTRICT	
Mid-day Lucky Numbers	9-6-2
Evening Lucky Numbers	8-3-0
Mid-day DC 4	4-7-0-4
Evening DC 4	2-2-9-3
Quick Cash	30-32-37-13-24-22
Hot Five	11-8-6-28-14
Hot Lotto (Wed.)	7-14-18-28-33 (14)

MARYLAND	
Mid-day Pick 3	1-2-8
Evening Pick 3	3-6-9
Mid-day Pick 4	5-1-1-5
Evening Pick 4	9-7-1-4
Match 5	5-16-30-33-34 Bonus: 18
Lotto (Wed.)	6-9-11-14-33-36

VIRGINIA	
Mid-day Pick 3 (Thurs.)	0-4-9
Evening Pick 3 (Wed.)	6-4-9
Mid-day Pick 4 (Thurs.)	2-4-9-8
Evening Pick 4 (Wed.)	9-3-2-1
Mid-day Cash 5 (Thurs.)	2-11-19-26-28
Evening Cash 5 (Wed.)	10-22-28-29-34
Lotto South (Wed.)	18-20-26-36-44-45

MULTI-STATE GAMES	
Powerball (Wed.)	31-33-35-40-42 (40)
Power Play	2

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Metro Running a Shortfall

Board seeking ways to avoid raising fares for third-straight year

WASHINGTON | Metro riders might be spared a third consecutive year of fare increases. Although budget analysts say the transit agency faces a $41.7 million spending gap in fiscal year 2006, none of Metro's board members on Thursday suggested passing the burden on to riders.

Instead, they said they were looking to local and state governments to pick up the tab.

The board approved creating a panel to research dedicated sources of funding. Some board members have suggested a special tax, similar to that used to fund other large transit systems.

"We need to find another source of revenue. All we have are fares and subsidies," said D.C. board member Gladys Mack.

Metro and local governments also are counting on the federal government to help pay for the agency's nearly $1.5 billion capital funding shortfall over the next six years.

The board voted to send a funding plan to D.C., Maryland and northern Virginia localities for approval. Under the plan, local governments would pay more than $1 billion and the federal government's share would be $404 million. CANDACE SMITH (AP)

WEEKEND DELAYS

Three lines will run trains on a single track in areas, adding 10 to 15 minutes to trips, for work to be done on or near the tracks:

RED LINE: Between Rhode Island Avenue and Judiciary Square; Saturday and Sunday from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

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BLUE LINE: Between Stadium-Armory and Addison Road-Seat Pleasant; from 10 p.m. Saturday until midnight Sunday.

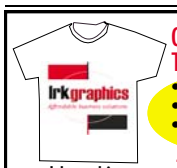
Derailed Train Causes Red Line Delays

WASHINGTON | The front two wheels of an empty six-car Metro train jumped a side track Thursday near the Silver Spring station, causing minor delays on the Red Line for evening commuters.

Metro is investigating the incident, and it was not immediately known whether service on Friday would be affected as well, a Metro spokeswoman said. The train's operator was not injured, she said.

The derailment happened around 2:30 p.m. as the train was preparing to go into service. It was traveling on side tracks used to park trains or turn them around.

Metro planned to later take down the power nearby and hoist the train back onto the tracks. (EXPRESS)



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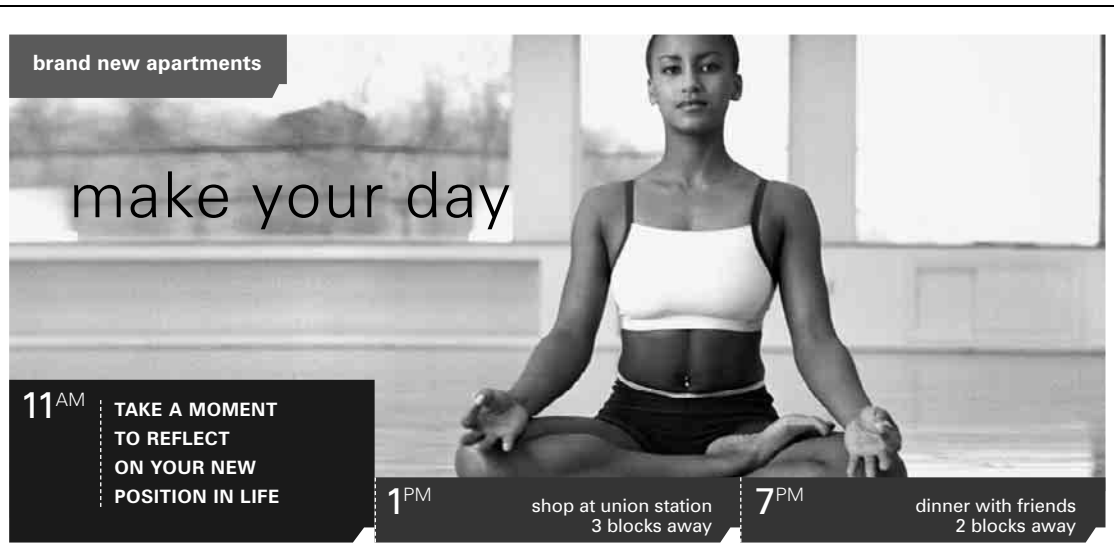

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Money

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United Likely to Drop Pension Plans

Troubled airline cites fiscal woes, fuel prices as reasons for decision

CHICAGO | Cash-strapped United Airlines said in a bankruptcy court filing Thursday that it "likely" will be necessary to terminate and replace its employee pension plans.

The carrier cited the size of further cost cuts and the need to find bankruptcy-exit financing as reasons for such a drastic move.

The filing came a day before a federal bankruptcy court hearing on United's pension plans, which the company announced last month it would no longer contribute to while in Chapter 11. That action has been assailed by United's unions and challenged by the government's pension-protection agency as violating federal pension law.

In its court filing, United cited the government's recent decision to reject its bid for a $1.6 billion loan guarantee along with sky-high jet fuel prices. The Elk Grove Village, Ill.-based airline said it "must have the cash flow and liquidity that the financial markets are willing to finance."

If United ends its four employee pension funds, it would represent the largest pension default ever by an airline. The action would dump billions of dollars in future pension obligations onto the already-strapped Pension Benefit Guaranty Corp. DAVE CARPENTER (AP)

Market Action

New York Stock Exchange

Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
PrmHsp	11.96	+3.33	+38.6
CACI	46.55	+5.63	+13.8
Mylan s	17.20	+1.62	+10.4
BentleyPh	10.97	+.97	+9.7
OrbitalSci	10.72	+.90	+9.2

Losers

DeVry	18.10	-3.00	-14.2
Weider	3.50	-.45	-11.4
HangrOrth	5.51	-.69	-11.1
Cadence	11.73	-1.10	-8.6
NelsnT	18.10	-1.58	-8.0

NASDAQ Stock Market

Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
Genta	2.20	+.70	+46.7
NeurobioT	3.35	+.71	+26.9
Provalis	4.10	+.85	+26.2
Sholodge	5.25	+.96	+22.4
Zonagen	3.79	+.59	+18.4

Losers

Synopsys s	14.65	-6.63	-31.2
Rambus	13.32	-1.87	-12.3
Convera	2.24	-.31	-12.2
RedHat	12.99	-1.64	-11.2
Dectron	3.51	-.41	-10.5

DOW	NASDAQ	S&P 500
-42.33	-11.48	-3.94
-0.42	-0.63	-0.36
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Rates

	CURRENT	PREVIOUS WEEK
Prime Rate	4.50	4.50
Fed Funds close	1.50	1.50
3-month	1.45	1.42
2-year	2.39	2.48
10-year	4.22	4.25
30-year	5.02	5.05

Currency (Dollars in foreign currency)

	TODAY	PREVIOUS DAY	YEAR AGO
British Pound	.5459	.5407	.6293
Canadian Dollar	1.2968	1.3064	1.3983
European Euro	.8086	.8114	.8986
Japanese Yen	109.32	109.34	118.40
Mexican Peso	11.3520	11.3560	10.8600
Taiwanese Dollar	34.05	34.01	34.35

Pharmacy Stocks

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AstraZen	44.56	+.30	-7.9
BarrPhm s	38.68	+.03	-24.6
BrMySq	23.16	-.09	-19.0
ForestLab	47.75	+.60	-22.7
Hospira n	27.80	-.12	-.7
IvaxCp	24.03	+.14	+.6
JohnJn	56.78	-.25	+9.9
LillyEli	64.35	-.21	-8.5
Merck	45.42	-.39	-1.7
Mylan s	17.20	+1.62	-31.9
Pfizer	31.48	-.37	-10.9
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COUP D'ÉTAT: American Carly Patterson, left, topped Russia's Svetlana Khorkina — the self-described "Queen of Gymnastics" — to win the gold medal on Thursday.

A New Mary Lou

Patterson joins Retton as all-around champion

GYMNASTICS | The 20-year wait is over. America has its new Mary Lou, and her name is Carly Patterson.

The 16-year-old dynamo beat Russian superstar Svetlana Khorkina to give the United States another Olympic all-around champion Thursday night, closing with a dazzling routine on the floor to win gymnastics' premier event.

"It just means a whole lot," Patterson said. "I worked my whole life to be an Olympic champion."

She wasn't the only one who'd been waiting for this night.

Patterson is the first U.S. woman to win the all-around title since Mary Lou Retton did it in 1984, and no one was happier about it than America's first golden girl.

"I have been waiting 20 years. Do you hear me? I have been waiting for 20 years," Retton said in a telephone interview from the States. Patterson's victory came the night after Paul Hamm won gold in the men's all-around on the same floor. The two make the United States only the second country to have both all-around champions in the same Olympics, joining the former Soviet Union and its successor, the Unified Team.

On a riveting evening that came down to the very last tumbling pass, Patterson scored a 9.712 on floor to finish with 38.387 points and defeat Khorkina by .176. Zhang Nan of China won bronze.

When he saw the result, Retton's old coach, Bela Karolyi, jumped for joy and hugged his friends, happy to finally see a champion replace the one he coached at the Los Angeles Games.

Khorkina, competing at her last Olympics, will never know that joy.

The Russian diva, who for years called herself the "Queen of Gymnastics," still took the Olympic all-around medal that had eluded her during an entertaining and wildly successful career. It was silver, though, not gold. Patterson isn't nearly the showwoman. Nor is she as graceful a ballerina as Khorkina. But she's more athletic, more explosive and, on this night, she was just a little bit better.

"I don't even know what to say right now," Patterson said. "You dream about this your whole life. It's just amazing." EDDIE PELLS (AP)

> "I have been waiting 20 years. Do you hear me? I have been waiting 20 years."
>
> —MARY LOU RETTON
> REVELING IN CARLY PATTERSON'S VICTORY IN THE INDIVIDUAL ALL-AROUND GYMNASTICS COMPETITION THURSDAY.

Liz Clarke: The Post staff writer describes the scene when Carly Patterson claimed the gold medal on Thursday | **washingtonpost.com/sports**

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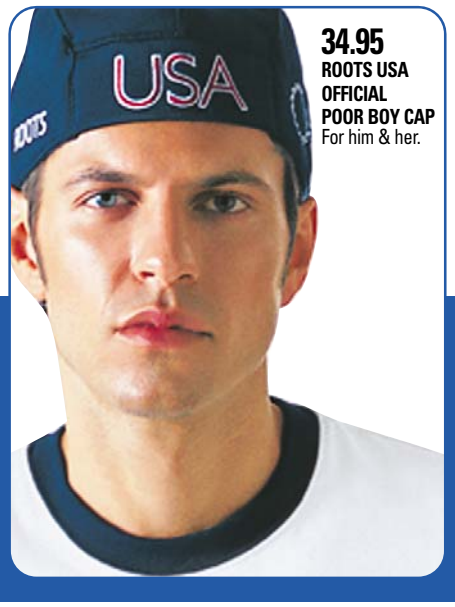

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U.S. swimmer **MICHAEL PHELPS** broke an Olympic record on Thursday to win his fourth gold of the Summer Olympics.

AUG.	RACE	RESULT
14	400m individual medley	GOLD*
15	4 x 100m	BRONZE
16	200m freestyle	BRONZE
17	200 butterfly	GOLD
	4 x 200m freestyle relay	GOLD
19	200m individual medley	GOLD
20	100m butterfly	
21	4 x 100m medley relay	

* Set world record

SOURCE: IOC AP

A Glorious Day in the Pool

Peirsol, Phelps and Beard land golds for U.S. swimming team

SWIMMING | Aaron Peirsol waved his arms in disbelief, then ran the race through his mind, trying to figure out what he did wrong.

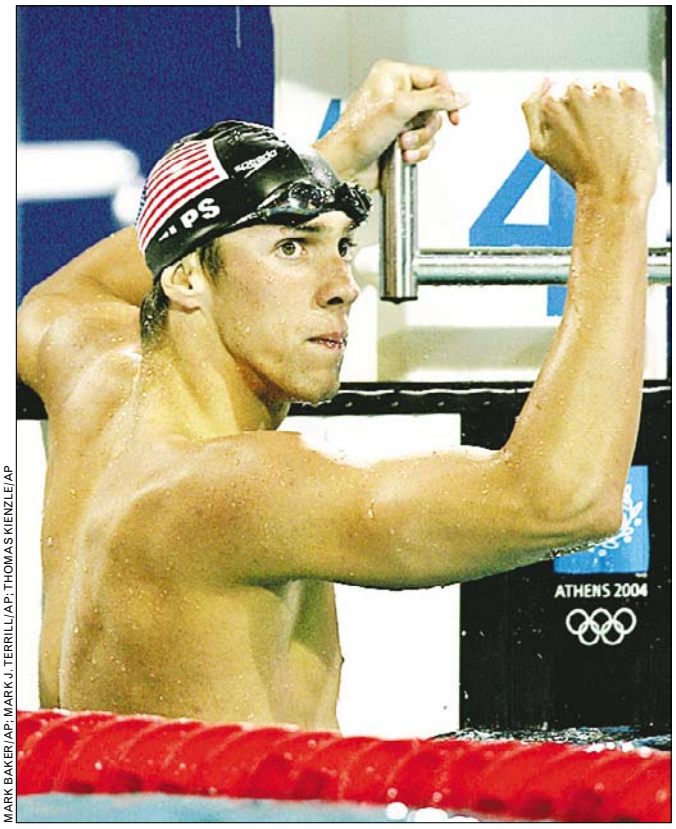
The most dominant backstroker in the world had somehow made a mistake that cost him a sure gold medal.

On a night Americans dominated at the Olympic pool, Peirsol's disputed victory in the 200-meter backstroke was the most memorable — and convoluted. First, he was disqualified for making an illegal turn. Then his win was restored, just in time for him to have the gold draped around his neck.

No one disputed another victory by Michael Phelps, who secured his legacy as one of the greatest swimmers in Olympic history by winning his fourth gold medal Thursday.

For good measure, Amanda Beard captured the first individual gold of her illustrious career, in the 200-meter breaststroke.

Only a victory by Australian Jodie Henry in the women's 100-meter freestyle prevented an American sweep. Otherwise, it was a smooth night for the Americans, who received five medals in all.



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THE GOLDEN TOUCH: Michael Phelps, above, won the 200m medley Thursday, capping a great day for the United States that also included gold-medal victories by Amanda Beard, top right, and Aaron Peirsol.

Ryan Lochte's silver in the 200 medley was part of a 1-2 finish with Phelps.

And Natalie Coughlin held on for bronze in the 100 free, finishing behind Henry and defending champion Inge de Bruijn of the Netherlands.

Beard won her race in an Olympic-record time of 2 minutes, 23.37 seconds. Phelps also set an Olympic record (1:57.14) in the 200 medley, giving the 19-year-old from Baltimore his third individual gold medal. Mark Spitz is the only other U.S. swimmer to win more than two individual races at a single games.

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Healthy Concern For the Redskins

REDSKINS | The Redskins need to be smart — and stay injury-free when they face the Miami Dolphins in Saturday's preseason game.

With 11 possible new starters, a new coaching staff and new systems to learn, Washington Redskins can't afford many days like Tuesday, when 18 players missed practice with injuries.

This week, 10 projected starters held out of at least one practice to guard from injuries.

The problems started when right tackle Jon Jansen ruptured his Achilles' tendon in the preseason opener against Denver. Jansen's replacement, Kenyatta Jones, has bone spurs in his foot and, according to assistant head coach of offense Joe Bugel, and is only 85 percent healthy.

Head coach Joe Gibbs conducts strenuous practices, but that's not why so many players have missed time. Linebacker Mike Barrow and defensive end Phillip Daniels tweaked previous injuries, and Jansen and reserve tight end Fred Baxter were hurt in games.

RON SCHWANE/AP

The Redskins are looking to avoid more season-ending injuries like Jon Jansen's.

"I'd say it's the number one thing in football that a coach has a dreaded fear of — how much do you work, how hard and do you back off and not develop things you want to develop," Gibbs said. (AP)

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New York	75	44	.630	—	43-15	32-29
Boston	67	52	.563	8	40-21	27-31
Baltimore	57	62	.479	18	29-32	28-30
Tampa Bay	55	65	.458	20.5	35-27	20-38
Toronto	49	72	.405	27	30-29	19-43

CENTRAL	W	L	PCT.	GB	HOME	ROAD
Minnesota	66	53	.555	—	35-27	31-26
Cleveland	63	59	.516	4.5	37-24	26-35
Chicago	60	57	.513	5	34-26	26-31
Detroit	55	64	.462	11	28-30	27-34
Kansas City	43	75	.364	22.5	27-34	16-41

WEST	W	L	PCT.	GB	HOME	ROAD
Oakland	68	52	.567	—	38-19	30-33
Texas	67	52	.563	.5	38-19	29-33
Anaheim	66	54	.550	2	33-27	33-27
Seattle	45	74	.378	22.5	28-30	17-44

NATIONAL LEAGUE

EAST	W	L	PCT.	GB	HOME	ROAD
Atlanta	68	51	.571	—	33-25	35-26
Florida	60	59	.504	8	31-27	29-32
Philadelphia	59	61	.492	9.5	30-32	29-29
New York	56	61	.479	11	31-25	25-36
Montreal	50	70	.417	18.5	28-30	22-40

CENTRAL	W	L	PCT.	GB	HOME	ROAD
St. Louis	78	41	.655	—	38-22	40-19
Chicago	64	55	.538	14	33-25	31-30
Houston	59	60	.496	19	29-31	30-29
Pittsburgh	57	61	.483	20.5	30-28	27-33
Cincinnati	57	63	.475	21.5	31-27	26-36
Milwaukee	55	63	.466	22.5	30-30	25-33

WEST	W	L	PCT.	GB	HOME	ROAD
Los Angeles	70	49	.588	—	37-23	33-26
San Francisco	67	56	.545	5	36-28	31-28
San Diego	64	56	.533	6.5	32-31	32-25
Colorado	54	65	.454	16	30-31	24-34
Arizona	37	85	.303	34.5	19-43	18-42

Standings through Aug. 18 games.

Selig Delays Vote on the Expos' Fate

BASEBALL | Bud Selig's term as baseball commissioner was extended for three years through 2009 in a unanimous vote by owners Thursday.

On the final day of a two-day meeting, owners also approved starting a baseball World Cup and baseball television network. The World Cup, which must be approved by the players' association and the International Baseball Federation, most likely will not start before 2006.

Selig

However, the 70-year-old Selig didn't put a decision on the Montreal Expos up for a vote, prolonging a vexing situation that began when the franchise was bought by the other 29 teams in 2002. D.C. and norther Virginia are the favorites to get the team. (AP)

TV Lineup

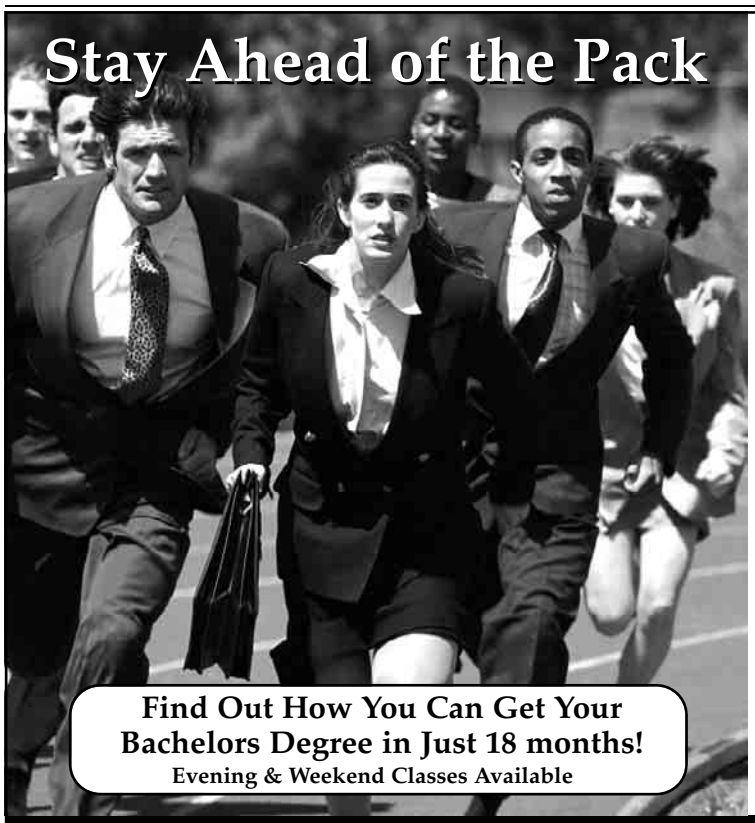
➜ **FISH FOOD:** Mark Brunell can take a commanding lead in the Redskins' quarterback competition when he starts in Saturday night's preseason game (7:30 p.m. on Channel 9) against the Miami Dolphins.

➜ **RACQUET:** Andre Agassi is looking for his sixth Legg Mason Tennis Classic in Washington. The semifinals are on Saturday (1 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Fox Sports Net) and the final is Sunday (12:30 p.m. on Channel 9).

Agassi

➜ **FOR THE BIRDS:** The Baltimore Orioles continue their home stand against the Toronto Blue Jays. Games are Friday (7:30 p.m. on UPN20), Saturday (4:30 p.m.on UPN20) and Sunday (1:30 p.m. on UPN20).

➜ **T.O.:** Terrell Owens, who spurned a trade to Baltimore in the offseason, faces the Ravens as a member of the Philadelphia Eagles in Friday's preseason game (8 p.m. on Channel 9).



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WORLD BEATERS | ON TARGET

ARCHERY | **MARCO GALIAZZO** won Italy's first gold medal in archery by defeating opponent Hiroshi Yamamoto of Japan 111-109. The 21-year-old Galiazzo placed 49th at last year's world championships. (AP)

The Dream Lives On

U.S. basketball team comes from behind to defeat Australians

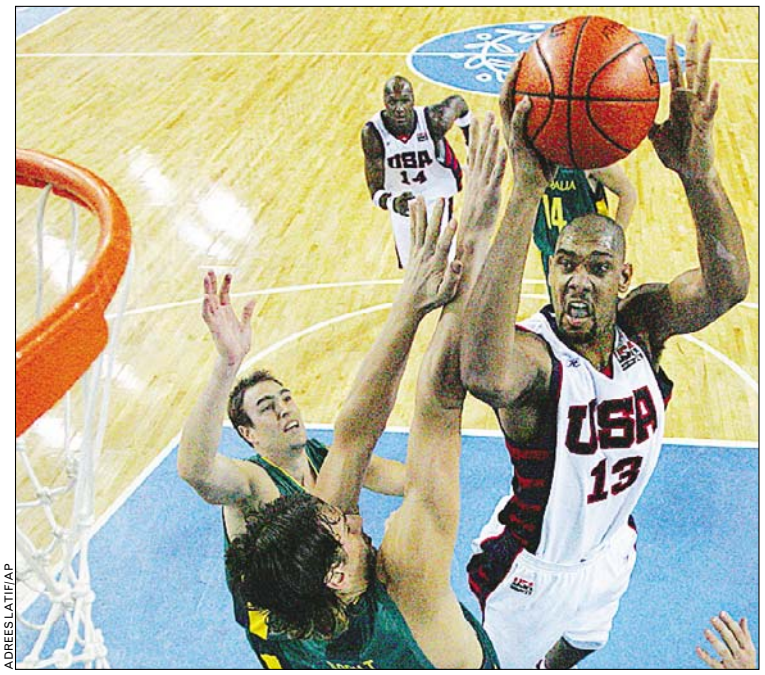
BASKETBALL | Larry Brown believes his team is finally starting to get it.

In a game the Americans were waltzing through and losing for the better part of three quarters, something clicked when the fourth quarter began.

One flashy and selfless play typified the turnabout: LeBron James eyed Shawn Marion's pass coming toward him and made a split-second decision to redirect the ball with a touch pass to Dwyane Wade for a layup.

The basket broke the last tie during a game-changing 10-point run at the start of the quarter, leading the United States to a 89-79 victory over Australia on Thursday at the Athens Games.

The victory — and the way the Americans turned the game around — might be a big step toward reversing their fortunes after they struggled to beat Greece and were embarrassed by Puerto Rico in a 19-point loss.



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ABOVE THE RIM: Tim Duncan of the United States scores in Thursday's come-from-behind victory over Australia. Next, the Americans take on Lithuania.

"They're starting to care about each other and understand the importance of representing our country the right way," Brown said.

After a defensively inept first half and a so-so third quarter, the Americans increased their defensive intensity, moved the ball with aplomb and put together a few of the showtime moments their Dream Team predecessors took for granted.

Next up is a matchup against Lithuania, the toughest team in their group. CHRIS SHERIDAN (AP)

Devers Strives For Another Gold

TRACK | No Marion. No Torri. No Chryste.

American sprinters Marion Jones, Torri Edwards and Chryste Gaines are just three of the big names who will be missing — many of them due to doping — when the Olympic track competition begins Friday.

The biggest impact will be in the six sprints. In the men's and women's 100, 200 and 400, only one Olympic champion, Maurice Greene in the 100, will defend a title. And with three of their top sprinters missing, American women may have a rough time trying to extend a 20-year streak of 100-meter gold when the track competition begins Friday.

The absences leave 37-year-old Gail Devers as the top-ranked American in the 100. She has won Olympic gold twice before in the 100 but is considered a long shot this time. She is seventh in the world rankings, while countrywomen Lauryn Williams and LaTasha Colander are tied for 19th.

RUSTY KENNEDY/AP

LEAPFROG: Gail Devers, a star hurdler, took Torri Edwards' spot in the 100m.

The first two rounds of the women's 100 are set for Friday, with the semifinals and final on Saturday.

While out of the running competitions, Jones is set to defend her gold medal in the long jump, which begins next Wednesday. ROB GLOSTER (AP)

MURAD SEZER/AP

SEEING RED: Andre Ward busted Clemente Russo's lip in Thursday's bout.

American Ward Ready for Uphill Fight

BOXING | Andre Ward was in the hallway waiting to fight when he got his first glimpse of the fighter standing between him and an Olympic medal.

The 6-foot-6 Russian Evgeny Makarenko, a two-time world champion, and Ward won their first fights Thursday.

Next, the light heavyweights will meet each other in a quarterfinal showdown.

Ward knows the challenge that lies ahead.

"Nobody gives me a chance but I believe everything happens for a reason," said Ward, who defeated Italy's Clemente Russo on Thursday. "I believe something special will happen." TIM DAHLBERG (AP)

OLYMPIC TV LINEUP

SWIMMING: Michael Phelps concludes his Olympic tour with the 100m butterfly Friday (8 p.m. on NBC) and 400m medley relay Saturday (8 p.m. on NBC). Also Friday is men's 50m freestyle and women's 200m backstroke and 800m freestyle.

DIVING: The women's platform finals are on Sunday (7 p.m. on NBC).

GYMNASTICS: The women's and men's trampoline final (Friday at 8 p.m. on NBC and Saturday at 11 a.m. on NBC). Individual event championships start on Sunday (7 p.m. on NBC).

MEN'S BASKETBALL: The U.S. men's team faces a stern test from Lithuania on Saturday (11 a.m. on NBC) after beating Australia on Thursday.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL: The women's U.S. team continues its quest for gold against Spain on Friday (7 a.m. on USA) and China on Sunday (2 a.m. on CNBC).

TRACK: Gail Devers runs in the 100m dash Saturday (8 p.m. on NBC) and Maurice Greens stars in the men's 100m dash on Sunday (7 p.m. on NBC). Also Sunday is the men's high jump and triple jump.

OTHER DEVELOPMENTS

→ **LISA FERNANDEZ** pitched a one-hitter Thursday as the two-time defending gold medalist United States won its sixth straight shutout in softball, a 7-0 victory over Greece.

→ **THIRD-SEEDED MARTINA NAVRATILOVA** won't win an Olympic medal after she and Lisa Raymond lost 6-4, 4-6, 6-4 to fifth-seeded Shinobu Asagoe and Ai Sugiyama of Japan in the tennis quarterfinals.

Navratilova

→ **BRITAIN, FRANCE AND THE U.S.** will appeal a decision to award Germany the gold in the three-day equestrian event.

→ **WORLD AND OLYMPIC CHAMP WANG NAN** of China was eliminated from the women's table tennis quarterfinal by Singapore's Li Jia.

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REUTERS

DESPERATE LIVING: Jack and Terry and Hank and Edith, not necessarily in that order, change partners for fun and vengeance.

Prosperous Cheaters

In 'We Don't Live Here,' two couples recouple

FILM | For extramarital lovers, the characters in John Curran's "We Don't Live Here Anymore" spend a lot of time talking about their spouses.

Jack (Mark Ruffalo) and Edith (Naomi Watts) are cheating on Terry (Laura Dern) and Hank (Peter Krause), respectively. Jack and Hank and Edith and Terry are best friends. Jack and Edith pass the time between woodland liaisons idly wondering whether Hank and Terry will sleep together too. Of course they will.

The betrayal cuts more ways than a Swiss Army knife. Jack and Edith's adulterous arrangement is cozy, intimate and useful. It helps them locate the exact whereabouts of their other halves' buttons, the better to press them all at once later like 3-year-olds hijacking elevators. Terry, for one, is going down.

"We Don't Live Here Anymore" dismantles the two marriages as if pulling them piece by piece, and at times the deliberate symmetry gets to be a bit too much. Pacing between Jack and Terry's house, a disaster area festooned with stray cat turds, and Hank and Edith's, a tidy IKEA display, the movie pores over the couples' hermetic lives (do writers still move to small college towns and teach in order to write about writers living in small college towns and teaching?) as if challenging us to pick a paradigm: chaotic but vital, or chillingly polite.

The particular state of connubial despair depicted feels like a sociological relic, in part thanks to the sight of a fiction writer and a lit professor single-handedly supporting families in large Craftsman houses. On the historical timeline of conjugal discord, "We Don't Live Here Anymore" is somewhere between the sexual revolution and "Kramer vs. Kramer." Still, the film is affecting and sincere, which makes up for the creakiness of some of the big metaphoric moments. CARINA CHOCANO (LOS ANGELES TIMES)

Spike Being Spike

FILM | "She Hate Me" is every inch a Spike Lee movie: a celebration of the things he loves (Brooklyn, jazz, sports) and a tirade against the things he hates (corporate greed, bad rap music, George W. Bush).

Wordy, preachy, overlong and self-indulgent, "She Hate Me" is also admirably ambitious and, at times, extremely funny.

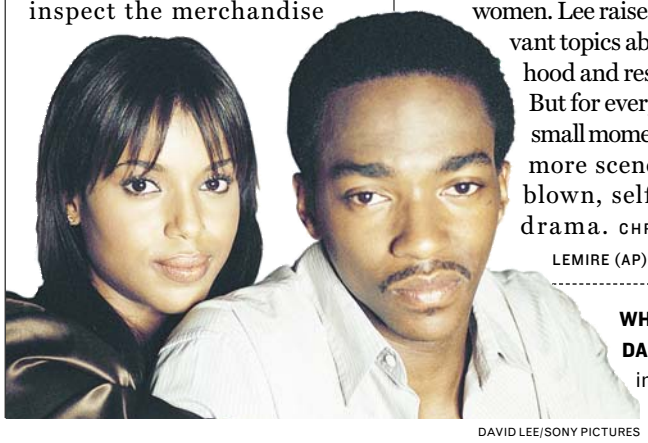
She Hate Me is the nickname Jack Armstrong (Anthony Mackie) gives his ex-fiancee, Fatima (Kerry Washington), who left him for another woman.

Jack loses his job after blowing the whistle on his bosses (an overly brassy Ellen Barkin and Woody Harrelson) at a shady biotech firm.

His finances have been frozen and he needs money. Enter Fatima, who wants to have a baby in tandem with her girlfriend (Dania Ramirez). Each woman will pay him $5,000 cash to impregnate her.

And in no time, other lesbian friends of Fatima's who'd also like to have children but don't want to go to a sperm bank line up.

The high-farce sequence that follows is the best part of the film. Educated, successful women of various sizes, ethnic backgrounds and sexual neuroses demand to inspect the merchandise before plunking down their five grand. Soon Fatima is running the service like a shrewd businesswoman, and with the help of Viagra and Red Bull, Jack impregnates 18 women. Lee raises some relevant topics about parenthood and responsibility. But for every charming small moment, there are more scenes of overblown, self-satisfied drama. CHRISTY LEMIRE (AP)



WHO'S YOUR DADDY? Washington and Mackie

DAVID LEE/SONY PICTURES

TWO THUMBS UP? Or 10 toes? Get the verdict on the latest film releases in today's Washington Post.

About a Boy: The Israeli coming-of-age film "Bonjour Monsieur Shlomi" is sweet and romantic, but heavy on the symbolism. Eve Zibart gets it already. | *Weekend*

Street Fight: Ann Hornaday believes the story of the wives of Jewish husbands who, in 1943, demonstrated for their spouses' release deserves a better movie than "Rosenstrasse." | *Style*

Dogs' Lives: One's scrappy; one's soulful — but who's the star? Donna Peremes finds the four-legged leads of "Benji: Off the Leash" charismatic but the film uneven. | *Weekend*

ClubPicks

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FRI. **KANYE WEST** and **USHER** kick off the best weekend for live music in recent memory with a sure-to-be crunked-out show at the MCI Center. ... **NORAH JONES** struck a soothing chord with millions in our stressed-out nation; check out her laid-back vibe at Merriweather Post. ... 99.1 WHFS is sponsoring a free show at the 9:30 Club featuring emo favorites **TAKING BACK SUNDAY**; call in to the station or get in line early to get tickets.

SAT. Who needs passing, teamwork and defense when you have a 40-inch vertical leap? Check out the **AND I MIX TAPE TOUR**, the official inspiration for the U.S. Men's Olympic basketball team, at the MCI Center. ... Local Dischord signees **Q AND NOT U** headline a festival at the Trinity Lutheran Church in NW created to "discuss strategies to divest of patriarchy and be responsible feminist allies," and have tons of fun. ... Tube tops and "weathered" baseball hats are the dress code at Nissan Pavilion for the uber-sensitive **JOHN MAYER** show.

KEVORK DJANZESIAN/AP

American Idol tour sponsor Pop-Tart will make sure Diana DeGarmo is heard.

SUN. With their name being dropped by all your favorite O.C. indie-pop bands, **THE BEACH BOYS** must be very confused. They bring their lush harmonies and classic '60s pop to Wolf Trap. ... **OZOMATLI**, at Nation, combines Latin rhythms and hip-hop back beats to create unbelievable live performances. ... They're ba-ack. **AMERICAN IDOLS LIVE**, at the MCI Center, has all your favorite stars. Like, uh, **JON PETER LEWIS** and **JASMINE TRIAS**. Don't miss it! PETER DENTON

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20TH CENTURY FOX/AP

Predator, left, looks unimpressed with Alien's low-temperature drool power.

ALIEN VS. PREDATOR (PG-13, 100 minutes) How cold does it have to get for saliva to freeze? Because a certain famously drool-drenched beastie is alive and well 2,000 feet below the surface of Antarctica. Oh, well; that's only one thing that doesn't add up in this update of the old monster-showdown formula. Here, a team of scientists investigating a pyramid buried beneath the South Pole — look, I told you the premise was whack — stumble upon a bunch of "Alien" aliens, only to be caught between them and dredlocked outer-space sport hunters from the "Predator" films. (MO)

CODE 46 (R, 93 minutes) This movie echoes those futuristic parables where society messes with the minds of those who dare to love. Tim Robbins and Samantha Morton are like two hypnotized subjects who have been subliminally instructed to perform together. All eerie mood, grainy digital images and barren landscapes, "Code 46" has a strange mystique. (DT)

PETER MOUNTAIN

Samantha Morton is both retro and neo-noir in the futuristic "Code 46."

COLLATERAL (R, 105 minutes) Tom Cruise's Vincent is the gray-hued symbol of the universe's mayhem in Michael Mann's film. He dresses Italian, shoots German and improvises brilliantly. He will get the job done — knocking people off while being driven in Jaime Foxx's cab — no matter the opposition. "Collateral" plays by the rules, obeys the traditions and feels both familiar and fresh. (SH)

GARDEN STATE (R, 102 minutes) In this wistful comedy, writer-director Zach Braff plays a New Jersey native unexpectedly reconnecting with family and friends. Viewers will laugh at the droll visual one-liners, but it's Natalie Portman's performance that will stay with them. In a role that demands tears one moment and tap-dancing the next, she brings her character to warm, wacky life. (AH)

OPEN WATER (R, 97 minutes) This riveting film about two divers stranded in the middle of the ocean is the type of movie that commands respect even from viewers who don't enjoy being scared out of their wits. Rarely have the dangers of drifting apart been given such a visceral wallop. (AH)

PRINCESS DIARIES 2: ROYAL ENGAGEMENT (G, 115 minutes) This doesn't have the mythic splendor of the original. Still, all of us girls loved it. The movie is for all of those who are princesses, and those who are lucky enough to be the parents of one, married to one or hanging out with one. So if your princess tells you to see the movie, shut up and get the car. (SH)

RON BATZDORFF

Anne Hathaway is the princess, Chris Pine the generical "prince" figure.

TOUCH OF PINK (R, 92 minutes) Alim (Jimi Mistry) is in love and in the closet. The love goes to Giles (Kristen Holden-Reid) and the closet shields him from his ultra-traditional Muslim mother. Kyle MacLachlan as the ghost of Cary Grant helps Alim play straight in this attempt to make a gay romantic comedy in the same effortlessly frivolous tone as "That Touch of Mink." The movie collapses upon the fulcrum of MacLachlan's mannered Grant. (SH)

YU-GI-OH! THE MOVIE (PG, 91 minutes) It's hard to believe a cartoon that shows characters playing a bizarre card game and pairs Japanese cartoon characters and ancient Egypt is such a hit. At least the sea of weird beings that play a part in Yugi's movie debut are more engaging than its story. There's nothing inspiring about the movie unless you count the way it compels kids to support the franchise. (SARA GEBHARDT)

The whole story: Read full reviews of these films and more at **washingtonpost.com/entertainment**

Film's Elmer Bernstein Dies at 82

OBITUARY | Film composer Elmer Bernstein, who created a brawny, big-sky theme for "The Magnificent Seven," nerve-jangling jazz for "The Man With The Golden Arm" and heart-rending grace notes for "To Kill a Mockingbird," died is his sleep Wednesday. He was 82. Bernstein's career spanned seven decades and earned him 14 Academy Award nominations, an Oscar win and an Emmy. A piano prodigy who studied composing under Aaron Copland in New York, Bernstein moved to Hollywood in 1950 to score for football film "Saturday's Hero." He made his mark with the moody music for the Joan Crawford thriller "Sudden Fear." (AP)

Bernstein

Sunday in The Washington Post

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Ellen Muth of Showtime's "Dead Like Me" talks about life, work and driving fast. | *TV Week*

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Crossroads: Fri., Experience Fridays, 9:30 p.m., $10; Sat., Energy, 9:30 p.m., $10; Sun., Cool Out Sundays, 5 p.m., $10. 4103 Baltimore Ave., Bladensburg, Md.; 301-927-1056.

Daedalus: Fri., Stripped, 10 p.m., $10; Sat., Asian Nite, 10 p.m., $10. 1010 Vermont Ave. NW; 202-347-9066.

DC 9: Fri., The Phobes, 8:30 p.m., $6; Sun., The Childballards, Run Silent Run Deep, Greenline, Don Zientara, 9:30 p.m., $7. 1949 9th St. NW; 202-483-5000.

Dream: Fri., Usher's Party, Carribean Nights, 6 p.m., $10-$20; Sat., The Loft w/ Lange, DJ Dirty Hands, 9 p.m., $10. 1350 Okie St. NE; 202-636-9030.

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Home: Fri., Relax, 9 p.m., $15; Sat., Synergy, 10 p.m., $15; Sun., Urban Night, 10 p.m., $15. 911 F St. NW; 202-638-4663.

Iota Club and Café: Fri., Last Train Home, Kevin Cordt Quartet, 9 p.m., $12; Sat., Last Train Home, Hunger Mountain Boys, 2 p.m., $12; Sun., Amy Rigby, Joy Lynn, 8:30 p.m., $12. 2832 Wilson Blvd., Arlington; 703-522-8340.

Jammin' Java: Fri., Nappy Brown & the King Bees, Cathy Ponton King, 8 p.m., $12; Sun., Cecilia, 8 p.m., $12; Sun., Malcom Holcombe, Dennis Jay, 7 p.m., $12. 227 Maple Ave., Vienna; 703-255-1566.

Jaxx: Fri., Swythe, Inkoherent, Bob, Sun Star Gazette Enquirer, 7 p.m., $6; Sat., DNS, Year and a Day, Engage, In Theory, 7 p.m., $6; Sun., Pipeline, The Electric Harley House of Love, According to Hoyle, 7 p.m., $6. 6355 Rolling Road, Springfield, Va.; 703-569-5940.

Juste Lounge: Fri., 4Play Fridays Happy Hour, 5 p.m.; Afterparty hosted by DJ Labenz, 9 p.m.; Sat., The Affair, 8 p.m. 1015 1/2 7th St. NW; 202-393-3909.

Kennedy Center, Millennium Stage: Fri., Tony Trischka, 6 p.m., free; Sat., The Hoover Uprights, 6 p.m., free; Sun., Tony Ellis, 6 p.m., free. 2700 F St. NW; 202-467-4600.

The Legend: Fri., EU, Suttle Thoughts, 11:30 p.m.; Sat., Saturday Night Live, 9 p.m.; Sun., College Night, 9 p.m. 3225 Naylor Road, Temple Hills, Md.; 301-894-3535.

Madam's Organ: Fri., Catfish Hodge, 10 p.m., free; Sat., Deb Callahan, 10 p.m., free; Sun., The Pete Beck Band, 9:30 p.m., free. 2461 18th St. NW; 202-667-5370.

Merriweather Post Pavilion: Fri., Norah Jones, 8 p.m., $40-$58; Sun., Mega Fest 2004, 12 p.m., $12-$25. 10475 Little Patuxent Parkway, Columbia, Md.; 202-397-7328.

Modern: Fri., House Scenario, DJ Stylus Chris, 9 p.m., $10; Sat., Groove Theory, DJ Blk Ceaza, 9 p.m., $10; Sun., Prince Party, 7 p.m., $10. 3287 M St. NW; 202-338-7027.

Nation: Fri., Cubik w/ Richard Vission, Reid Speed, 9 p.m., $10; Sat., Velvet Nation w/ DJ Alyson Calgan, Ed Baily, Wess, 10 p.m., $10; Sun., Ozomatli, Kinky, Del Castillo, 8 p.m., $20. 1015 Half St. SE; 202-554-1500.

Ortanique: Fri., Salsa Night, 11 p.m., $10; Sat., Live Jazz, 7:30 p.m., free. 730 11th St. NW; 202-393-0975.

Platinum: Fri., Plush Fridays, 10 p.m., $10-$15; Sat., Beautiful Saturdays, Lingerie Fashion Show 10 p.m., $10-$15. 915 F St. NW; 202-393-3555.

South Beach Cafe: Sat., Krunk w/ DJ Ragz, 9:30 p.m. 7904 Woodmont Ave., Bethesda, Md.; 301- 718-9737.

Wolf Trap, Filene Center: Fri., George Benson, Will Downing, 7 p.m., $22-$36; Sat., Judy Collins Wildflower Festival, 8 p.m., $20-$34; Sun, The Beach Boys, 2 & 8 p.m., $25-$32. 1551 Trap Road, Vienna; 703-218-6500.

Zanzibar: Fri.-Sat, International & R&B Night, 5 p.m., $10-$15; Sun., Hip-Hop All Star Sundays, 9 p.m., $10-$15. 700 Water St. NW; 202-554-9100. 202-331-7123.

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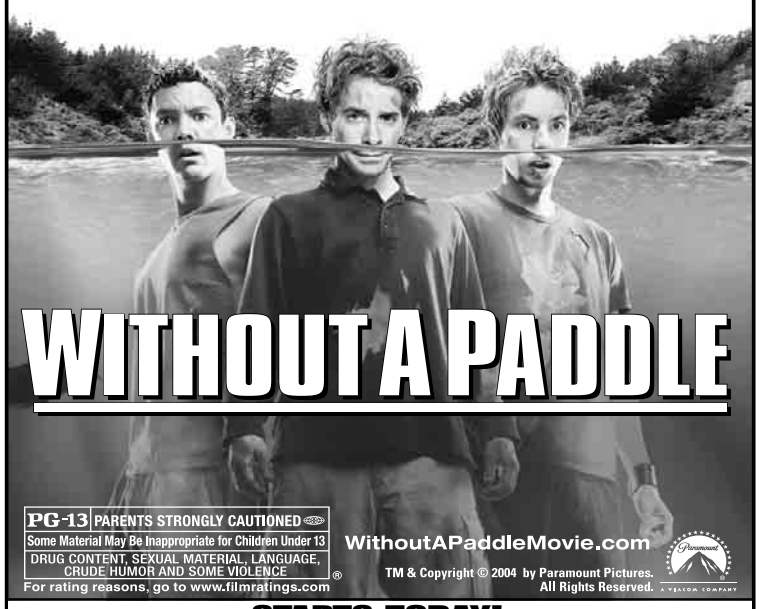

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Anacostia Museum: All the Stories Are True: African-American Writers Speak, through Dec. 31. Selected Works by William H. Smith and Floyd Roberts, through Dec. 31. 1901 Fort Place SE; 202-287-2061.

Art Museum of the Americas: Sculpture in Four Dimensions, through Sept. 30. 201 18th St. NW; 202-458-6016.

Arthur M. Sackler Gallery: Perspectives: Do-Ho Suh, through Sept. 26. Caliphs and Kings: Islamic Art of Medieval Spain, through Oct. 17. Arts of Mughal India, opens Sat., through Feb. 6. 1050 Independence Ave. SW; 202-357-4880.

Bar Noir at Visions: Photography by Dragana Rankovic, through Sept. 6. 1927 Florida Ave. NW; 202-667-0090.

Conner Contemporary Art: Academy 2004, through Aug. 28. 1730 Connecticut Ave. NW; 202-588-8750.

Corcoran Gallery of Art: Norman Rockwell's Four Freedoms, through Sept. 6. Sally Mann: What Remains, through Sept. 6. In Search of Self: Paintings and Drawings by Anil Revri, through Sept. 13. Corcoran Faculty Bienniel, through Sept. 13. Thinking Inside the Box: The Art of Andrew Krieger, through Nov. 15. 500 17th St. NW; 202-639-1700.

DEA Museum: War Memorabilia Exhibit, through Nov. 11. 700 Army-Navy Drive, Arlington; 202-307-3463.

Folger Shakespeare Library: Voices for Tolerance in an Age of Persecution, through Oct. 30. 201 East Capitol St. SE; 202-544-7077.

Fraser Gallery Bethesda: Representing Representation II, through Sept 8. 7700 Wisconsin Ave., Suite E, Bethesda; 301-718-9651.

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LAST CHANCE Freer Gallery of Art: Whistler in Paris: Lithographs from the Belle Epoque, ends Sun. Religious Art of Japan, through Dec. 12. Work and Commerce in Chinese painting, through Jan. 17. Life and Leisure: Everyday Life in Japanese Painting, through Feb. 20. The Tea Ceremony as Melting Pot, through Feb. 20. 12th Street and Jefferson Drive SW; 202-357-2700.

LAST CHANCE Gallery at Flashpoint: Ami Martin Wilber: Contained Existence, ends Sat. 916 G St. NW; 202-315-1305.

Hillwood Museum & Gardens: Tradition in Transition: Russian Icons in the Age of the Romanovs, through Dec. 31. 4155 Linnean Ave. NW; 202-686-5807.

Hirshhorn Museum & Sculpture Garden: Directions: Gabriel Orozco, through Sept. 6. Independence Avenue at 7th Street SW; 202-633-4674.

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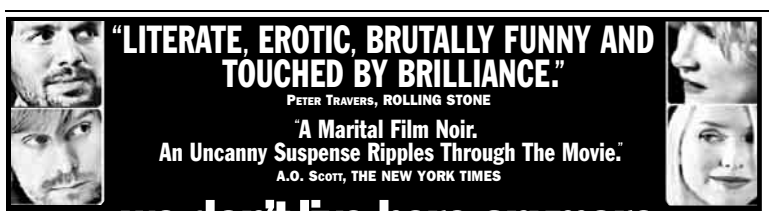
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International Spy Museum: The Enemy Within: Terror In America, 1776 to Today, through March 31. 800 F St. NW; 202-393-7798.

Kreeger Museum: Saturdays, 2401 Foxhall Road NW; 202-338-3552.

Library of Congress: Humor's Edge: Cartoons by Ann Telnaes, through Sept. 9. With an Even Hand: Brown v. Board of Education at Fifty, through Nov. 13. 10 1st St. SE; 202-707-5000.

Marian Koshland Science Museum: 6th and E streets NW; 202-334-1201.

National Air and Space Museum: 7th Street and Independence Avenue SW; 202-357-2700.

National Building Museum: Samuel Mockbee and the Rural Studio: Community Architecture, through Sept. 6. Symphony in Steel: Ironworkers and the Walt Disney Concert Hall, through Nov. 28. Liquid Stone: New Architecture in Concrete, through Jan. 23. 401 F St. NW; 202-272-2448.

National Gallery of Art: That the Freedom of the Human Spirit Shall Go On, through Sept. 7. Hudson River School Visions: The Landscapes of Sanford R. Gifford, through Sept. 26. Pastels of the Eighteenth Century: Recent Acquisitions, through Sept. 26. American Masters: From Bingham to Eakins, through Jan. 30. Palace and Mosque: Islamic Art From the Victoria and Albert Museum, through Feb. 6. 600 Constitution Ave. NW; 202-737-4215.

National Geographic Society: Dogs! Wolf, Myth, Hero & Friend, through Sept. 6. Tornado: Twist of Fate, through Oct. 11. Rain or Shine, through Oct. 11. 17th and M streets NW; 202-857-7588.

National Museum of African Art: Insights, through Nov. 28. Playful Performers, through Dec. 12. 950 Independence Ave. SW; 202-357-4600.

National Museum of American History: MMLL: Mike McCartney's Liverpool Life, through Jan. 2. The Beatles! Backstage and Behind the Scenes, through Jan. 2. Photography of War: World War II Photographic Perspectives, through Jan. 2. Vote! The Machinery of Democracy, through Jan. 30. Separate Is Not Equal: Brown v. Board of Education, through May 30. Chasing Venus: Observing the Transits of Venus, 1631-2004, through April 3. 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW; 202-633-1000.

National Museum of Natural History: Looking Both Ways, through Aug. 29. Ancient Microworlds, through Sept. 15. Forces of Change: El Nino, through Sept 30. Looking Both Ways, through Oct. 3. Baseball as America, through Oct. 3. In Stabiano, through Oct. 24. 10th Street and Constitution Avenue NW; 202-357-2700.

National Museum of Women in the Arts: Focus on the Soul: The Photographs of Lotte Jacobi, through Sept. 5. Nordic Cool: Hot Women Designers, through Sept. 12. Books as Art XV, through Nov. 28. 1250 New York Ave. NW; 202-783-5000.

National Postal Museum: Kristen Ollies Collection, through Jan. 11. The Queen's Own: Stamps That Changed the World, through Jan. 11. 2 Massachusetts Ave. NE; 202-357-2991.

LAST CHANCE Neptune Gallery: Elyse Harrison: Characters from an Unwritten Book, ends Sat. 4808 Auburn Ave., Bethesda; 301-718-0809.

LAST CHANCE Numark Gallery: Allyson Clay: La La City, through Aug. 25. 625-27 E Street, NW; 202-628-3810.

Phillips Collection: August Sander: Photographs of the German Landscape, through Sept. 5. Aaron Siskind: New Relationships in Photography, through Sept. 5. Revelation: Georges Rouault at Work, through Sept. 5. 1600 21st Street, NW; 202-387-2151.

U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum: Life in Shadows: Hidden Children and the Holocaust, through Sept. 6. 100 Raoul Wallenberg Place SW; 202-488-0400.

Zenith Gallery: Isolation and Intimacy, through Sept. 5. 413 7th St. NW; 202-783-2963.

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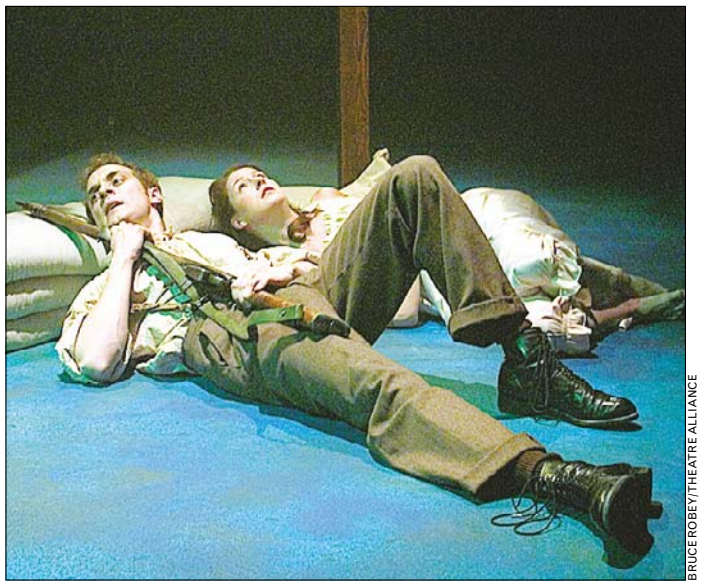

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Adventure Theatre: The Adventures of Paddington Bear, through Aug. 29, 1:30 & 3:30 p.m. (Sat. & Sun.), $7. 7300 MacArthur Blvd., Glen Echo, Md.; 301-320-5531.

LAST CHANCE Arena Stage: Crowns, ends Sun., 8 p.m. (Fri. & Sat.), 2 p.m. (Sat. & Sun.), 7:30 p.m. (Sun.), $47-$66. 1101 6th St. SW; 202-488-4377.

Clark Street Playhouse: The Tempest, through Sept. 5, 8 p.m. (Fri. & Sat.), 2 p.m. (Sat. & Sun.), $22-$30. 601 S. Clark St., Arlington; 800-494-8497.

D.C. Arts Center Theater: The Glass Mendacity, through Aug. 28, 10 p.m. (Fri. & Sat.), $15, $12 at door. Washington Improv Theater — The Neutrino Project, through Aug. 29, 7:30 p.m. (Fri.-Sun.), $15, $12 at door. Trash, through Sept. 11, midnight (Sat.), $8. 2438 18th St. NW; 202-462-7833.

H Street Playhouse: Mary's Wedding, through Sept. 5, 8 p.m. (Fri. & Sat.), 2 p.m. (Sun.), $20-$25. 1365 H St. NE; 202-396-2125.

Jokes on Us Comedy Club: Fri., Mike Brooks Uncensored — Comedians From HBO and BET, 8:30 & 10:45 p.m., $10. 312 Main St., Laurel, Md.; 800-551-7328.

LAST CHANCE Kennedy Center: The Producers, through Aug. 22, 7:30 p.m. (Fri.-Sun.), 1:30 p.m. (Sat. & Sun.), $35-$90. 2700 F St. NW; 202-467-4600.

Signature Theatre: One Red Flower, through Oct. 3, 8 p.m. (Fri. & Sat.), 2 & 7 p.m. (Sun.), $37-$45. 3806 S. Four Mile Run Drive, Arlington; 703-218-6500.

Silver Spring Stage: One-Act Festival, through Sept. 5, 2 & 8 p.m. (Fri. & Sat.), 2 p.m. (Sun.), $11-$15. 10145 Colesville Road, Silver Spring; 301-593-6036.

Theatre on the Run: Betrayal, through Sept. 11, 8 p.m. (Fri. & Sat.), 2 p.m. (Sun.), $20. 3700 S. Four Mile Run, Arlington; 703-243-6366.

Warehouse Theater: Bad Girls III: The Redemption, through Sept 12, 8 p.m. (Fri. & Sat.), 3 p.m. (Sun.), $20. 1021 Seventh St. NW; 202-783-3933.

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On the Spot

Krunk at South Beach Café

Folks are getting Krunk'd every Saturday night, and they're loving it. It's not Ashton Kutcher's latest tomfoolery, but, as DJ/promoter **JESSE TITTSWORTH** puts it, "an upbeat, party-oriented weekly" that offers killer drink specials ("the tallest, strongest and cheapest") and free live acts. Tittsworth sheds light on the phenomenon that's pumped up Bethesda. Yes, Bethesda.

COURTESY JESSE TITTSWORTH

The DJ at work, creating a "positive vibe" in between promoting his club.

How would you define Krunk?

"Crunk," the word itself, has roots in Southern hip-hop as meaning high-energy. We [at South Beach club] specialize in dance-friendly yet educational hip-hop, though we also cover funk, soul, reggae, Latin flavors ... and go-go.

Why has Krunk has caught on?

We surround ourselves with like-minded people and try to influence others with the music we embrace so passionately. As a result, you'll find the requests for Ja Fool and Fiddy Cent are much lower here than most hip-hop spots.

What is your idea of a perfect club night?

A rotation of DJs playing the songs that remind me why I love music and live acts that make me go "hmmm" even a week after the performance. Also, a crowd that acts like an open family and welcomes newcomers from various age groups and social circles.

What three albums have influenced you most?

That's like asking a parent to name a favorite child, or asking me my favorite piece of sushi. If I must: A Tribe Called Quest, ("Peoples Instinctive," "Low End Theory" and "Midnight Marauders,") Goldie, "Timeless" and Miles Davis, "Kind of Blue."

What is the best and worst thing about playing in the D.C. area?

D.C. can be a place where a new name can come up quick. However, I think a lot of people ... hit a glass ceiling in D.C. Perhaps that's why we're home to a lot of brilliant beginnings but aren't so good at holding onto them. KATIE ANDRIULLI

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★ EXORCIST: THE BEGINNING (R) (12:50 3:30 6:10)9:00 11:35
★ WITHOUT A PADDLE (PG–13) (12:30 2:50 5:10)7:40 10:00
★ BENJI: OFF THE LEASH! (PG) (11:05 1:20 3:50)

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8065 Leesburgh Pike 703-506-9857

★ ALIEN VS. PREDATOR (PG–13) (DTS DIGITAL) (11:30 2:10 4:50) 7:30 10:05
THE PRINCESS DIARIES 2: ROYAL ENGAGEMENT (G) (DTS DIGITAL) (11:00 1:40 4:20)7:00 9:45
COLLATERAL (R) (11:20 2:00 4:40)7:20 9:50
THE VILLAGE (PG–13) (12:10 3:30)6:40 9:30
THE MANCHURIAN CANDIDATE (R) (12:00 3:20)6:50 9:40
THE BOURNE SUPREMACY (PG–13) (DTS DIGITAL) (11:10 1:50 4:30)7:10 9:55
★ WITHOUT A PADDLE (PG–13) (DTS DIGITAL) (11:40 2:30 5:10) 7:40 10:10
★ EXORCIST: THE BEGINNING (R) (11:50 2:20 5:00)7:35 10:00

Cineplex Odeon SHIRLINGTON 7
2772 South Randolph 703-671-0978

★ SHE HATE ME (R) (12:50 3:40)6:30 9:20
★ ROSENSTRASSE (PG–13) (1:10 4:00)6:40 9:40
OPEN WATER (R) (1:00 3:10 5:00)7:00 9:00
INTIMATE STRANGERS (R) (3:00)7:50
GARDEN STATE (R) (1:30 3:50)6:20 9:50
MARIA FULL OF GRACE (R) (12:40 3:20 5:40)8:00 10:10
DE-LOVELY (PG–13) (1:20 4:10)6:50 9:30
FAHRENHEIT 9/11 (R) (12:30 5:30)10:00

Cineplex Odeon DUPONT CIRCLE 5
Dupont Circle M
1350 19th Street 202-972-9956

★ CODE 46 (R) (12:40 2:50 5:10)7:30 9:40
★ TOUCH OF PINK (R) (12:50 5:30)7:40
THE BLIND SWORDSMAN: ZATOICHI (R) (1:30 4:20)7:00 9:35
A HOME AT THE END OF THE WORLD (R) (1:50 4:10)6:50 9:10
NAPOLEON DYNAMITE (PG) (1:20 3:30 5:40)7:50 10:00
DE-LOVELY (PG–13) (3:00)9:50

Cineplex Odeon UPTOWN
Cleveland Park M
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ALIEN VS. PREDATOR (PG–13) (2:00 4:30)7:00 9:40

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★ EXORCIST: THE BEGINNING (R) (12:30 3:20)6:10 9:00 11:40
★ WITHOUT A PADDLE (PG–13) (12:45 3:05 5:35)8:05 10:35
★ BENJI: OFF THE LEASH! (PG) (11:15 1:40 4:10)
GARDEN STATE (R) (10:15 12:55 3:35)6:25 9:25
OPEN WATER (R)(ON 2 SCREENS) (10:45 12:20 1:05 2:40 3:25 5:00 5:45) 7:20 8:15 9:40 10:25 12:00
NAPOLEON DYNAMITE (PG) (11:50 2:30 5:20)7:50 10:10
★ ALIEN VS. PREDATOR (PG–13) (ON 2 SCREENS) 7:35 10:15
★ Rear Window Captioning (11:00 1:20 4:00)6:40 9:20 11:50
THE PRINCESS DIARIES 2: ROYAL ENGAGEMENT (G) (ON 2 SCREENS) (10:25 11:30 1:15 2:20 4:05 5:10)8:00 10:40
★ YU-GI-OH (PG) (11:10 1:30 3:50)6:00
HAROLD & KUMAR GO TO WHITE CASTLE (R) 8:50 11:10
COLLATERAL (R) (12:10 3:00 5:50)8:40 11:30 (10:35 1:25 4:15)7:05 9:55
THE MANCHURIAN CANDIDATE (R) (12:35 3:45)6:55 10:05
THE VILLAGE (PG–13) (12:05 2:45 5:30)8:10 10:50
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I, ROBOT (PG–13) (12:00 2:50 5:40)8:30 11:20
FAHRENHEIT 9/11 (R) 7:00 10:00
SPIDER-MAN 2 (PG–13) (11:05 1:50 4:40)7:30 10:20

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Friendship Heights M

COLLATERAL (R) (1:00 4:00)7:00 9:45

Cineplex Odeon MARLOW 6
Marlow Heights Shopping Center 310-423-1014

★ EXORCIST: THE BEGINNING (R) (11:35 2:00 4:50)7:40 10:10
★ ALIEN VS. PREDATOR (PG–13) (11:30 2:15 5:00)7:20 9:40
THE PRINCESS DIARIES 2: ROYAL ENGAGEMENT (G) (11:20 1:50 4:30)7:25 9:50
COLLATERAL (R) (11:10 1:55 4:55)7:35 10:05
THE MANCHURIAN CANDIDATE (R) (11:05 1:50 4:40)7:30 10:15
OPEN WATER (R) (11:25 1:20 3:20 5:20)7:30 9:25

Cineplex Odeon WISCONSIN AVE. CINEMAS
4000 Wisconsin Avenue N.W. 202-244-0882

THE PRINCESS DIARIES 2: ROYAL ENGAGEMENT (G) (ON 2 SCREENS) (1:30 4:00)6:30 7:25 9:00 9:40
THE MANCHURIAN CANDIDATE (R) (1:00 4:00)7:00 9:45
SPIDER-MAN 2 (PG–13) (12:50 3:40)6:40 9:30
OPEN WATER (R) (12:30 2:20 4:20)6:20 8:15 10:10
★ EXORCIST: THE BEGINNING (R) (12:20 2:40 5:10)7:40 10:00
★ BENJI: OFF THE LEASH! (PG) (12:40 2:50 5:00)

Cineplex Odeon WHITE FLINT 5
North Bethesda 310-423-1014

★ ALIEN VS. PREDATOR (PG–13) (11:30 1:50 4:10)6:40 9:20
COLLATERAL (R) (11:00 1:30 4:00)6:30 9:10
THE MANCHURIAN CANDIDATE (R) (11:15 2:10)6:10 9:00
THE BOURNE SUPREMACY (PG–13) (11:20 2:00)6:15 8:50
THE DOOR IN THE FLOOR (R) (11:10 1:40)6:20 9:15

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ALIEN VS. PREDATOR (PG–13) 6:20 8:40 11:00
Rear Window Captioning (12:30 2:50 5:10)7:30 9:50 12:00
THE PRINCESS DIARIES 2: ROYAL ENGAGEMENT (G) (12:50 3:30)6:00 8:50 11:30
COLLATERAL (R) (11:00 1:30 4:10)7:00 9:30 12:15
LITTLE BLACK BOOK (PG–13) (11:20 1:40 4:00)
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THE BOURNE SUPREMACY (PG–13) (11:10 1:50 4:30)7:20 10:00 12:20
GARDEN STATE (R) (12:10 2:40 5:30)7:50 10:20 12:35
I, ROBOT (PG–13) (12:40)
FAHRENHEIT 9/11 (R) (3:10 5:50)8:20 11:10
EXORCIST: THE BEGINNING (R) (11:40 2:10 4:40)7:10 9:40 12:10
WITHOUT A PADDLE (PG–13) (11:30 2:00 5:00)7:40 10:10 12:30
WE DON'T LIVE HERE ANYMORE (R) (12:00 3:20)6:10 9:00 11:20
MARIA FULL OF GRACE (R) (1:20 3:40)6:50 9:10 11:50

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★ WITHOUT A PADDLE (PG–13) (10:50 1:00 3:25)6:05 8:35 10:50
★ ALIEN VS. PREDATOR (PG–13) (12:00 2:15 4:40)7:10 9:30 11:45
★ YU-GI-OH (PG) (12:30 2:35 5:00)
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OPEN WATER (R) (11:45 1:45 4:30)6:35 8:25 10:15 12:10
COLLATERAL (R) (12:10 2:55 5:30)8:05 10:40
LITTLE BLACK BOOK (PG–13) (1:35)
THE VILLAGE (PG–13) (11:25 1:55 4:20)6:50 9:10 11:35
THE MANCHURIAN CANDIDATE (R) (11:15 2:05 4:50)7:45 10:25
THE BOURNE SUPREMACY (PG–13) 7:20 9:40 12:00
I, ROBOT (PG–13) (11:00 3:50)6:25 8:55 11:25

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OPEN WATER (R) - ID REQ'D (1110 130 400) 710 930 1145
WITHOUT A PADDLE (PG-13) ★ (1115 200 500) 745 1040
ALIEN VS. PREDATOR (PG-13) ★ (1100 145 430) 700 800 1000 1050 1245
YU-GI-OH (PG) (1200 230 530)
PRINCESS DIARIES 2 (G) (115 420) 715 1015
COLLATERAL (R) - ID REQ'D (1230 330) 650 945
LITTLE BLACK BOOK (PG-13) (1120)
HAROLD & KUMAR (R) - ID REQ'D (225 510) 735 1010 1235
THE MANCHURIAN CANDIDATE (R) - ID REQ'D (1240 410) 725 1035
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AWKWARD START: As he's promised, radio's Howard Stern will hit the hallways in 'toon form. Spike TV has ordered 13 episodes of the animated series-in-progress "Howard Stern: The High School Years," the cable network confirmed Wednesday.

Television

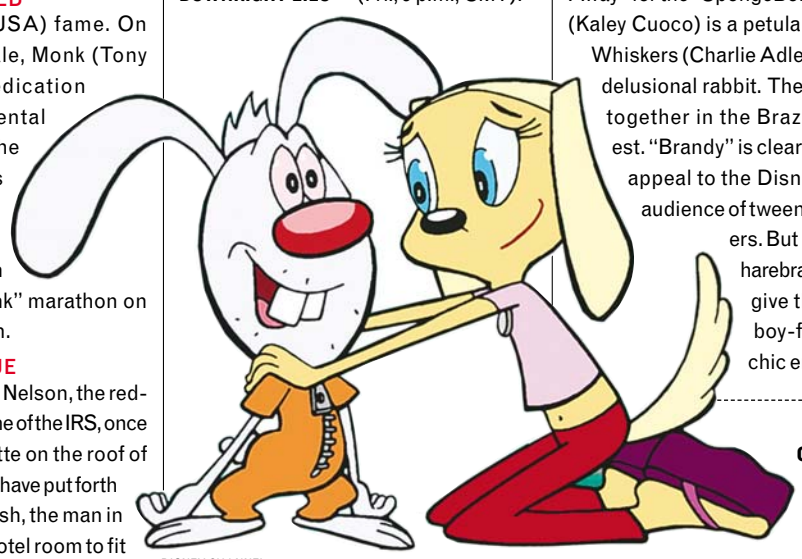
ON TV THIS WEEKEND

MONK, INTERRUPTED

MONK (Fri., 10 p.m., USA) fame. On the third-season finale, Monk (Tony Shaloub) takes a medication that alleviates his mental ticks. Unfortunately, the pills also rob him of his intuitive skills. Fans who want to catch up with this season's shows can watch a six-hour "Monk" marathon on USA beginning at 5 p.m.

THAT CAN'T BE TRUE

Rumor has it that Willie Nelson, the red-headed stranger and bane of the IRS, once smoked a funny cigarette on the roof of the White House. Some have put forth the tale that Johnny Cash, the man in black, once painted a hotel room to fit his mood and moniker. Are these stories true, or just tall tales? Find out on **GREATEST MYTHS: RUMORS, LEGENDS AND DOWNRIGHT LIES** (Fri., 9 p.m., CMT).



DISNEY CHANNEL

ODD COUPLE: Mr. Whiskers and Brandy.

BETTER WITHOUT MADONNA

BRANDY & MR. WHISKERS (Sat., 8 p.m., Disney) A goofy, animated "Swept Away" for the "SpongeBob" set. Brandy (Kaley Cuoco) is a petulant pooch; Mr. Whiskers (Charlie Adler) is a scruffy, delusional rabbit. They're stranded together in the Brazilian rainforest. "Brandy" is clearly intended to appeal to the Disney Channel's audience of tween girl consumers. But Mr. Whiskers' harebrained schemes give this cartoon a boy-friendly, anarchic energy.

REMEMBERING A MASTER CHEF

JULIA CHILD: A TRIBUTE (Sun., 9 p.m., Food Network) honors the author, public-television star and food lover, who died last week at age 91. "Tribute" includes vintage clips from her own show, as well appearances on "The Tonight Show with Johnny Carson" and the inspired Child spoof from "Saturday Night Live."

The Food Network dedicates most of Sunday to remembering Child, beginning with a repeat of "In the Kitchen" (8:30 a.m., Food) featuring a conversation between the chef and host Sara Moulton about butter sauces. Child also appears on repeats of "Wolfgang Puck" (9 a.m.) and "From Martha's Kitchen" (10 a.m.).

IT'S SO YOU

FAKING IT (Sun., 8 p.m., BBC America) returns with a new season of personal transformations. In the season opener, a blue-collar bike messenger becomes proficient at polo. He's never ridden in a saddle before, but it takes him just four weeks to learn the rules and lingo of riders. In future installments, we'll see a religious choirgirl become a rowdy rock 'n' roll chick; a grocery clerk bluff his way as a television reporter; and a chess champ become manager of a soccer team. KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

BBC AMERICA

HORSEY SET: A bike messenger tries a different kind of ride on "Faking It."

8.20.04		6:00 PM	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
LOCAL CHANNELS	WRC 4	News CC		NBC Nightly News	Access Hollywood	XXVIII Summer Olympics (Same-day Tape) CC							
	WTTG 5	The Simpsons	The Simpsons	Friends CC	Seinfeld CC	Bernie Mac	Bernie Mac	Bernie Mac	Bernie Mac	News		Friends CC	Drew Carey
	WJLA 7	News CC	ABC Wld News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy! CC	George Lopez	8 Simple Rules	Hope & Faith	Less Than Perfect	20/20 CC		News CC	(:35) Nightline
	WUSA 9	News CC	CBS News	USA Tonight	Ent. Tonight	NFL Preseason Football Baltimore Ravens at Philadelphia Eagles. From Lincoln Financial Field in Philadelphia. CC						News CC	(:35) Late Show
	WDCA 20	Moesha CC	That '70s Show	That '70s Show	MLB Baseball Toronto Blue Jays at Baltimore Orioles. From Oriole Park at Camden Yards in Baltimore. (Live)						Seinfeld CC	Every-Raymond	Dharma & Greg
	WMPT 22	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)		Business Rpt.	State Circle	Washington Week	Wall-Fortune	Now With Bill Moyers (N) CC		Three Dog Night		Soundstage (N) CC	
	WETA 26	BBC World News	Business Rpt.	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)		Washington Week	Tucker Carlson	Now With Bill Moyers (N) CC		Wall-Fortune	Maggie CC		
	WHUT 32	White House	Uncommon	BBC World News	MoneyWise CC	Evening Exchange		Back to the Floor	Firewomen CC	BBC World News	Tavis Smiley	Charlie Rose (N) CC	
	WBDC 50	The Parkers	Steve Harvey	The Parkers	Steve Harvey	What I Like	Grounded for Life	Reba CC	Blue Collar TV	Will & Grace	Just Shoot Me	Will & Grace	Blind Date CC
BASIC CABLE	A&E	City Confidential CC		American Justice "Shotgun Justice"		Biography "Mama Cass" CC		Biography: Janis Joplin		Biography: David Crosby: Harmony		American Justice "Playing With Fire"	
	Animal	The Crocodile Hunter CC		Funniest Animals	Funniest Animals	The Planet's Funniest Animals CC		Animal Cops Detroit Neglected dogs.		Animal Cops Detroit CC		The Planet's Funniest Animals CC	
	BET	106 & Park: BET's Top 10 Live Silk the Shocker.			BET.com Count	★ "Hot Boyz" (1999, Drama) Snoop Dogg, Silkk the Shocker, Gary Busey.				Club Comic View		BET Nightly News	Access Granted
	Bravo	(5:00) XXVIII Summer Olympics (Subject to Blackout Taped)				★★★ "La Bamba" (1987, Biography) Lou Diamond Phillips, Esai Morales, Rosana De Soto.					Preview Special	The West Wing "Guns Not Butter"	
	Comedy	Late Night CC		The Daily Show	Mad TV CC		Wrld Stand Up	Com.-Presents	Com.-Presents	Com.-Presents	Com.-Presents	Com.-Presents	Jack Coen (N)
	Court	Hollywood Heat	Body of Evidence	Cops CC	Cops CC	The Investigators "Overboard"		Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	I, Detective	Fake Out	Forensic Files
	Discovery	Would You Believe It?		Great Biker Build-Off 2		Alaskan Crab Fishing		American Chopper "Liberty Bike 1"		American Chopper "Liberty Bike 2"		Alaskan Crab Fishing	
	DISCH	Trauma: Life in the ER		Chicago Hope "Life Support" CC		Michael Jackson		Code Blue "Close Calls"		The Residents Difficult questions.		Michael Jackson	
	Disney	Braceface CC	Lizzie McGuire	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven	★★★ "Lilo & Stitch" (2002) Voices of Daveigh Chase.			(:45) ★★★ "Lilo & Stitch" (2002, Comedy) Voices of Daveigh Chase. CC				Lizzie McGuire
	E!	Star Dates	Star Dates	E! News (N)	E! Cover Story	Celebrity Beauty Secrets Revealed		Dr. 90210	Dr. 90210 "Baby"	The Soup (N)	E! Cover Story	Howard Stern	Howard Stern
	FX	Fear Factor CC		Fear Factor "All Female Episode"		Fear Factor CC		Fear Factor CC		Fear Factor "All Female Episode"		Rescue Me "Orphans"	
	HGTV	Bldg. Character	Landscapers	Curb Appeal	House Hunters	Painted House	Painted House	Decorating Cents	Design on a Dime	Sensible Chic	Home to Go	Home to Go	Sensible Chic
	Family	Full House CC	Full House CC	7th Heaven "I Love Lucy" CC		★★ "Beautiful Girl" (2003) Marissa Jaret Winokur, Fran Drescher. CC				Whose Line?	Whose Line?	The 700 Club CC	
	History	True Story of the Philadelphia		Modern Marvels "Machu Picchu"		Dead Men's Secrets CC		Decisive Battles	Command Dec.	Modern Marvels "The M-16" CC		Bulletproof CC	
	Lifetime	The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls	"Outrage in Glen Ridge" (1999, Drama) Ally Sheedy, Eric Stoltz. CC				"Abducted: A Father's Love" (1996, Drama) Chris Noth, Peter MacNicol.				Merge Contrasting decorating styles.	
	MTV	Room Raiders	Room Raiders	Direct Effect		Road Rules CC	Road Rules CC	Road Rules CC	Road Rules CC	Road Rules CC	Road Rules CC	Road Rules CC	Road Rules CC
	NICK	SPLAT!	Rugrats CC	Jimmy Neutron	Fairly Oddparents	The Fairly OddParents Travel through TV. CC			Teenage Robot	The Cosby Show	The Cosby Show	Roseanne CC	Roseanne CC
	SCIFI	Stargate SG-1 "Children of the Gods"		Andromeda A spy tempts Dylan.		Stargate SG-1 "Prisoners" CC		Stargate SG-1 "Affinity" (N) CC		Stargate Atlantis "Poisoning the Well"		Stargate SG-1 "Affinity" CC	
	SPIKE	Real TV	Real TV	World's Wildest Police Videos CC		World's Wildest Police Videos CC		Star Trek: The Next Generation CC		Star Trek: The Next Generation CC		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation	
	TBS	Every-Raymond	Seinfeld CC	Seinfeld CC	Friends CC	★★ "Ace Ventura: Pet Detective" (1994) Jim Carrey, Courteney Cox. CC				MLB Baseball Atlanta Braves at Los Angeles Dodgers. (Live) CC			
	TLC	Clean Sweep CC		In a Fix "Now and Zen"		While You Were Out CC		While You Were Out CC		What Not to Wear CC		While You Were Out CC	
	TNT	Charmed "Siren's Song" CC		Law & Order "Whiplash"		★★ "The Mothman Prophecies" (2002, Horror) Richard Gere, Laura Linney. Premiere.					★★ "The Mothman Prophecies" (2002) Richard Gere.		
	USA	Monk CC		Monk CC		Monk CC		Monk CC		Monk "Mr. Monk Takes His Medicine"		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	
	VHI	Reality Show	Celebrity Diets	Celebrity Breakups '04		Celebrity Weddings 2004		Fabulous Life Of...		Celebrity Diets	VH1 Goes Inside	Best Week Ever	A2Z
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SPORTS	ESPN	PGA Golf: WGC NEC Invitational		SportsCenter	Stump-Schwab	Little League World Series: Pool Play -- Calif. vs. R.I.				Baseball Tonight (Live) CC		SportsCenter (Live) CC	
	ESPN2	Little League World Series: Pool Play		NFL Live CC	NFL Yearbook	2004 World Series of Poker		Boxing Friday Night Fights. (Live) CC					Scenes of Hero
	CSN	I, Max (N)	SportsNite CC	Ravens Pregame Show (Live)		Beyond the Glory CC		Boxing: Jorge Martinez vs. Edel Ruiz		SportsNite CC	Pro View	Ravens Postgame (Live)	
NEWS	CNN	Lou Dobbs Tonight CC		Anderson Cooper 360 CC		Paula Zahn Now CC		Larry King Live Brian Wilson. CC		NewsNight With Aaron Brown CC		Lou Dobbs Tonight	
	FNC	Special Report (Live) CC		The Fox Report With Shepard Smith		The O'Reilly Factor (Live) CC		Hannity & Colmes (Live) CC		On the Record-Van Susteren		The O'Reilly Factor	
	MSNBC	The Abrams Report (Live)		Hardball CC		Countdown With Keith Olbermann		Deborah Norville Tonight		Scarborough Country (Live)		Hardball CC	
MOVIES	AMC	★★★ "Escape From New York" (1981, Science Fiction) Kurt Russell. 'R'				★★ "Jaws 2" (1978) Roy Scheider. Another massive shark appears off the coast of Amity. 'PG'					★ "Orca" (1977) Richard Harris. Premiere. 'PG'		
	TCM	"Dr. Strangelove or: How I Learned to Stop Worrying and Love the Bomb"				★★★ "Murder by Death" (1976, Comedy) Peter Falk. 'PG' CC				★★★ "The Pink Panther" (1964, Comedy) Peter Sellers, David Niven. 'NR'			
	HBO	(5:45) ★★ "Club Paradise" (1986) Robin Williams. CC			★ "Anaconda" (1997) Jennifer Lopez. 'PG-13' CC			★★ "Head of State" (2003) Chris Rock. 'PG-13' CC			Alien/Predator	Entourage CC	Entourage CC
	MAX	(4:45) Gremlins	★★ "The Relic" (1997, Horror) Penelope Ann Miller, Linda Hunt. 'R' CC				★ "House of 1000 Corpses" (2003) Sid Haig. 'R' CC			★★★ "Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets" (2002) Daniel Radcliffe.			
	SHOW	(5:30) ★★ "The Favor" (1994) 'R'		(:15) ★★ "Housesitter" (1992, Comedy) Steve Martin. iTV. 'PG' CC				Dead Like Me "Send in the Clown"		Dead Like Me "The Shallow End"		Penn & Teller	Family Business
	TMC	★★ "Curse of the Pink Panther" (1983, Comedy) Ted Wass. 'PG'				★★ "Who Is Cletis Tout?" (2001) Christian Slater. 'R'			(:35) ★★ "Jackass: The Movie" (2002) Johnny Knoxville.			★★★ "Roger Dodger" (2002) 'R'	
	STARZ!	(5:15) ★★ "Man Trouble" (1975)		★ "For Richer or Poorer" (1997, Comedy) Tim Allen. 'PG-13' CC				★★ "Willard" (2003) Crispin Glover. 'PG-13' CC			(:45) ★★ "Highlander: The Final Dimension" (1994) 'R'		
	ENCORE	Dumb & Dumber	(:20) ★★ "Delirious" (1991) John Candy. 'PG'			★★ "Scarface" (1983, Drama) Al Pacino. A Cuban immigrant fights to the top of Miami's drug trade. 'R' CC						★★★★ "Platoon" (1986) 'R' CC	

Look* out

* TRENDS, CULTURE, DISCOVERIES, IDEAS, PEOPLE

AP

BACK IN VOGUE: After more than a year of celebrity cover girls, Vogue returns to models. Lucky, right, is sticking to starlets.

Fashion

Models are gaining on celebrities as the faces of high fashion

Catwalk Comeback

"Fashion is always slightly ahead of the curve culturally, and people are tiring of celebrities."

Fashionistas know that everything old becomes new again, and this year's comeback is straight from the catwalk: the model.

The pretty faces who largely had been reduced to the background of the fashion scene as designers and magazine editors courted celebrities are suddenly back in vogue — literally.

After featuring stars such as Nicole Kidman, Gwyneth Paltrow, Kate Hudson and their Hollywood peers exclusively on its covers all of 2003 and through August of this year, Vogue has put not one but nine models on the front of its September issue, the year's most important.

But unlike the heyday when Cindy, Christy, Linda and Naomi ruled, most of today's top models (except maybe Victoria's Secret star Gisele Bundchen) aren't known by their first name. Further, to most people outside the industry, they aren't known at all.

"There was a moment 10 years ago when models were the celebrities associated with fashion, but now celebrities are the celebrities associated with fashion," said Sally Singer, Vogue's fashion news director. But that's changing.

"Fashion is always slightly ahead of the curve culturally, and people are tiring of celebrities," Singer said. "Reality TV and the Internet has cheapened being a 'celebrity.' To be famous now is to be Paris Hilton."

Kim France, editor in chief of Lucky, argues the other side — sort of.

When the shopping magazine started in December 2000, France pledged not to use celebrities on the cover because she wanted the focus to be on the clothes; the whole idea was to be "accessible."

But Lucky languished.

"We started out using models but that was tough. Unlike in the late '80s and '90s, when there were a dozen models who could carry a cover, now there are one or two, and we're not going to get them," France said.

Lucky now makes an effort to use mostly starlets who are "recognizable but fresh" instead of full-fledged stars.

For the past few years, it seems as if Kidman, Paltrow, Hudson, Julianne Moore and Jennifer Lopez were playing a game of musical magazines, simply rotating outfits and mastheads.

Sarah Jessica Parker, now Gap's spokesmodel, was eagerly embraced by the fashion industry because of her uniqueness, says Tom Julian of ad agency Fallon Worldwide.

This season's styles are so strong, however, that it's the right time to get away from celebrity spokesmodels and back to the fashions, said Julian.

"It's a marketing decision that brings the industry back into itself. It's not good or bad, but for magazines that are truly about fashion, it's a good time to separate themselves from the celebrity magazines," he said. SAMANTHA CRITCHELL (AP)

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Live Online | On Television

Post TV columnist **LISA DE MORAES** was online Thursday to discuss late night's Craig Kilborn and TV coverage of the Olympics | washingtonpost.com/liveonline

Why is it that in "Six Feet Under," Nate's dead wife never gets credit? I forget her name — Lily something.

Never gets credit for being dead? Or never credits in the show's credits at the end? Can't she just go away?

Any word on who's going to replace Craig Kilborn?

I'm so busy being thrilled he's leaving and soon, I haven't focused on his replacement. I'm sure they'd love Conan, but that's not going to happen unless they can give him an end date on Dave.

We were having a debate about who is smarmier: Kilborn or David Spade. Kilborn won. Do you have a vote?

Nuke 'em both. Is that one of my options?

Was there actually nudity in the Olympic's opening ceremonies?

Faux nudity. The chick portraying the goddess of fertility was wearing this dress that exposed her breasts, which I'm assured is historically accurate and on the up-and-up, so to speak, but if you looked closely at the snaps on the outfit, the dress had some nudish-fabric modestly covering up said breasts. So technically it was not a Double Janet.

I was completely annoyed with NBC's coverage of the opening ceremonies. It wasn't the commercials that got me, it was the non-stop chattering from Bob Costas. Yak, yak, yak.

There was way too much happy talk going on, but then, he was probably pretty excited to be getting under way with the Games and we all tend to babble when we're excited. Anyway, that's my story and I'm sticking with it.

It's that gymnastics commentator I want to smack.

➜ Today on Live Online

11 A.M.: Washington Post staff writer Nurith Aizenmann discusses her story about the separation of one El Salvadoran mother from her children in order to make more money in the United States.

1:30 P.M.: Director-producer Robert Greenwald discusses his documentaries "Uncovered: The War on Iraq" and "Outfoxed: Rupert Murdoch's War on Journalism."

The Duplex | *Glenn McCoy*

Pearls Before Swine | *Stephan Pastis*

Letters

We're All Winners

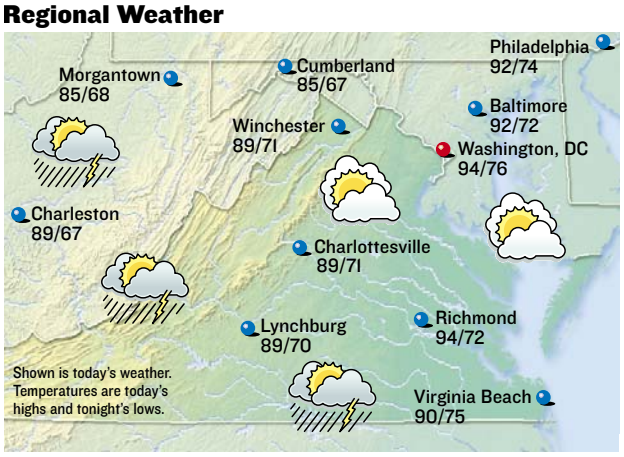
I COULD NOT AGREE more with the letter on Olympic competition in Thursday's Express. The writer asks why we strive to be the best at everything, and she has a point. Why can't we just try to have fun and all get along? The Olympics' system of giving out different medals based solely on achievement is certainly flawed. Why can't Olympic organizers change the system to give a medal to each participant just for doing his or her best? Maybe there can be one special medal for the best sportsmanship, but we desperately need to shift the focus from achievement to just being there. In fact, since there won't be any medals, there won't be any need for scoring. Finally, at the end of the games, all of the teams can go out for pizza to celebrate just having fun. As long as they agree not to talk about how well anyone did.

—JOEL RICHARDSON
Clarksburg, Md.

5 Day Forecast for the Washington Area

Today	Tonight	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
Partly sunny, hot, humid	Partly cloudy, warm, humid	Thunderstorms possibly heavy later	Partly sunny, cooler	Mostly sunny	Mostly sunny, warm
94°	76°	89° / 67°	80° / 64°	82° / 68°	86° / 69°

Regional Weather



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Almanac

Washington, D.C., through 4 p.m. Thur.

Temperature

High	86°
Low	72°
Normal high	86°
Normal low	68°
Average humidity	75%

Precipitation

24 hours ending 4 p.m.	0.14"
Month to date	4.78"
Normal month to date	2.09"
Year to date	28.90"
Last year to date	39.67"
Normal year to date	25.02"

For up-to-the-minute weather, see: **washingtonpost.com/weather**

Regional Forecast

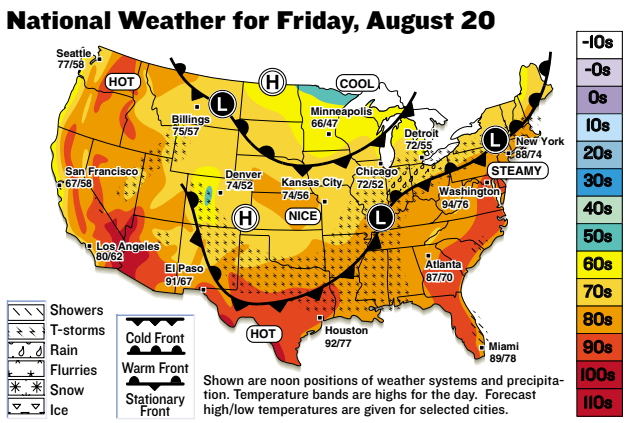
D.C. Metro: Today, partly sunny, hot, humid, perhaps a thunderstorm in the northern and western suburbs. High 94. Wind south-southwest 6-12 mph.

Sun and Moon

Sunrise today	6:26 a.m.
Sunset tonight	7:56 p.m.
Moonrise today	11:01 a.m.
Moonset today	10:21 p.m.

First	Full	Last	New
Aug 23	Aug 29	Sept 6	Sept 14

National Weather for Friday, August 20



Shown are noon positions of weather systems and precipitation. Temperature bands are highs for the day. Forecast high/low temperatures are given for selected cities.

National Cities

City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Sat. Hi/Lo/W
Atlanta	87/70/t	81/70/t
Boston	86/70/sh	83/64/t
Chicago	72/52/sh	74/54/s
Dallas	88/71/t	88/73/t
Denver	74/52/t	80/54/t
Honolulu	90/77/s	90/77/s
Los Angeles	80/62/pc	80/62/pc
Miami	89/78/t	89/77/t
New York City	88/74/t	86/66/t
Orlando	91/74/t	90/73/t
Seattle	77/58/s	74/60/sh

World Cities

City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Sat. Hi/Lo/W
Amsterdam	65/53/sh	61/51/sh
Athens	91/73/s	91/75/s
Berlin	71/52/sh	64/48/sh
Buenos Aires	54/43/r	54/39/sh
Calgary	79/52/c	67/36/c
Dublin	63/46/pc	63/48/pc
Geneva	73/51/sh	63/51/sh
Moscow	83/64/pc	86/63/pc
Rome	92/69/s	85/63/s
Sydney	65/50/pc	70/54/s
Tokyo	87/72/pc	90/79/pc

s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.

Look out

People

KARMA

What Goes Around Lands You a Phat TV Deal

MTV announced Wednesday that "PoweR Girls," starring publicist/convict **LIZZIE GRUBMAN**, will premiere in spring 2005. The series, picked up for six episodes, will follow Grubman and her public relations team behind the velvet rope as they live, work and play in Manhattan, Los Angeles, the Hamptons and Miami. Grubman, 32, served 37 days in jail for a 2001 incident in which she backed her sport utility vehicle into a crowd of Hamptons clubgoers, injuring 16. Grubman started her career as an MTV intern. (AP)

DISCOVERIES

Television Gives You An Extra Life to Waste

Regis' contract demands that he be shot with soft focus and a fog machine.

REGIS PHILBIN has lived a lifetime on television. Logging 15,188 hours on the tube has yielded the talk show host fame, fortune and now a place in the record books. Friday's broadcast of "Live with Regis and Kelly" gives Philbin the Guinness World Record for most hours on camera. The talk show host passes broadcaster Hugh Downs for the record. "Now it's all a big blur," Philbin said Thursday as he looked back on his career, which began as a San Diego news anchor in 1958. "When you look back that's a lot of hours on TV." (AP)

PLOT POINTS

Rivers Will Ask to Have Melissa Surgically Attached

JOAN RIVERS, who has openly joked about her own cosmetic surgery, will guest star as herself on the season finale of the FX series "Nip/Tuck." In the episode to air Oct. 5, Rivers will meet with the show's plastic surgeons for an unusual cosmetic consultation. Though FX is tight-lipped about the nature of the procedure, Scott Seomin, a publicist for the cable station says, "It's definitely not something she's had done before." (AP)

SCOTT STEWART/CHICAGO SUN-TIMES/AP

REALITY

Oprah Enters Desert of the Real

OPRAH WINFREY plans to bring her fellow jurors on a Chicago murder trial to her TV show next week, she said Wednesday after they convicted a man of first-degree murder. "It's a huge reality check; there's a whole other world going on out there," she observed. Oprah felt the attention she brought to the trial was distracting, however. "This is not about Oprah Winfrey," she said. "The fact is, a man has been murdered." (AP)

PAT GODDARD/DAILY PRESS/AP

Watch him hit a ball into left field. Later, he'll stage his own decapitation.

PERSONAS

Python-Americans Agree: Cooper Is This Nation

ALICE COOPER showed off his wholesome side at a charity softball game in Bark River, Mich., this week. He professed to Manitoba's Winnipeg Sun newspaper that "Alice is now woven into the fabric in America. I'm part of Americana. I am Americana." (EXPRESS)

IDENTITY

Anonymity Hurts, Doesn't It, Sandra?

SANDRA BULLOCK was in Travis County, Texas, court on Wednesday in a dispute with the Austin developer she hired to build a luxury home that she says is defective. Potential jurors were asked if her celebrity would be a factor in reaching a verdict. Bullock laughed when one woman said she didn't realize she was a movie star but had thought she was a former wife of late Texas political giant Bob Bullock, a former lieutenant governor and state comptroller. (AP)

LAWSUITS

Baltimore Bans Arena Metal

VAN HALEN has filed a breach of contract lawsuit against the Baltimore Orioles in Los Angeles federal court. The suit claims that the team sought to have the band perform the first-ever concert inside Camden Yards next month, then backed off the deal. The band's touring company is suing for "at least" $2 million in damages. (AP)

ETHAN MILLER/REUTERS

Eddie and Sammy won't rock Camden.

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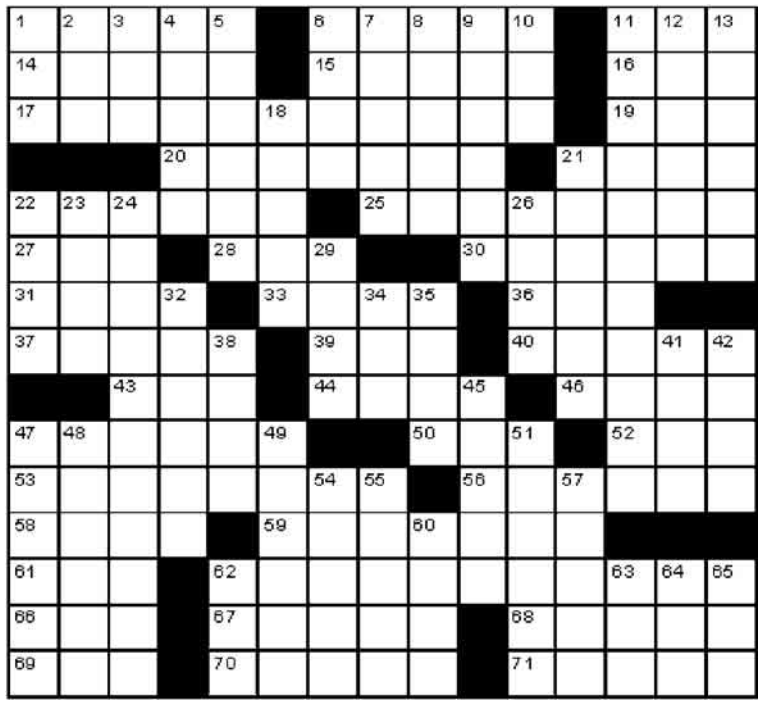
1866

On Aug. 20, President Andrew Johnson formally declared the Civil War over, months after the fighting had stopped; also, in 1979, swimmer Diana Nyad succeeded in swimming from the Bahamas to Florida.

Quantum Leaps | *Edited by Timothy E. Parker*



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11 Org. once headed by Bush
14 Thin toast
15 One in a class by himself
16 Perch for those who love Santa
17 Certain athlete
19 Income sharer (Abbr.)
20 From Belgrade
21 Antonym of fire
22 They're revolting
25 Takes for granted
27 Actress Thurman
28 Kind of story
30 Fast plane engine
31 Aggressive remark
33 Luminous star
36 Grant or Costello
37 Editor's concern
39 Word with force and mail
40 With guns
43 Reddish-brown horse
44 Nautical danger
46 Like a little old lady in tennis shoes?
47 Appropriate to the occasion
50 Jackie's late husband
52 Yellowstone National Park beast
53 "Emile" author
56 Main dish
58 Top-of-the-line
59 Period free from punishment
61 Cowboys' div.
62 Kind of insect
66 Jay or em attachment
67 Remote features
68 Aquarium fish
69 Go bad
70 Church top
71 Inedible orange

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2 Prefix with classical
3 Not in the pink
4 Portly and then some
5 Adam and Eve lacked them
6 Check attachment
7 Bulbed flower
8 Essential flower oil
9 More astute
10 Musket tip?
11 Certain thief
12 Words of concurrence
13 Most fitting
18 Pyromaniac's crime
21 Goes along with
22 Area and scatter
23 Give off
24 Knee, sometimes
26 Casa unit
29 Dull pig?
32 Pass by, as time
34 Engage in a contest
35 Kind of code
38 Focus group?
41 Perry's creator
42 Levee
45 Just baked
47 Dance about
48 Craftsman on high
49 Rise, like Silver
51 All told
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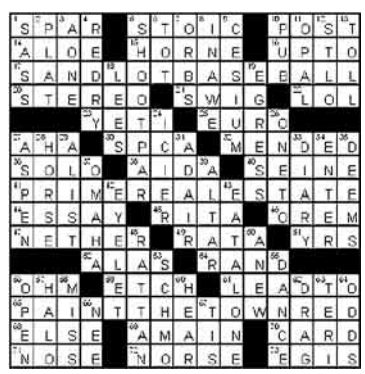
Yesterday's Solution



Horoscope

By Stella Wilder

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) An old fear may resurface, but you are better equipped to deal with it head on than you have ever been. Don't panic.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Concentrate on quality control. Don't let even the slightest errors escape your attention. The sooner you act, the better.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) It may be time for a getaway of sorts, but don't spend too much money too soon. Save some for later.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) The ball is in your court, so don't hesitate for a second. Quick thinking and fast action will win you the success you deserve.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) What you don't know can indeed hurt you, so you'd better be willing to delve into the foreign places beneath the surface.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) A conflict between yourself and another strong-willed individual will arise by day's end. You have your sense of humor to rely on.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Get your thinking back on track, and focus on the things that cannot be accomplished without your involvement.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) What you do may well be remembered long after you've moved on, and someone will follow in your footsteps.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You may have a double-duty to attend to, and a dual alliance to honor. It's important that you keep things straight in your own mind.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You must be willing to recognize the negative possibilities. The more realistic you can be, the more success you can enjoy.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You should be able to out-perform the competition, provided you know what you're after and keep distractions at bay.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You'll be back where you belong by day's end, but getting there may involve an unexpected adventure.

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